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FURTHER CHINESE ALLEGATIONS.

FORMAL HUNT DELIVERED TO JAPAN.

Nanking, Oct. 7.
The Foreign Ministry yesterday received advice from Mr. Chiang Tso-ping, Minister to Japan, saying that a formal communique has been handed to the Japanese Government informing them that the Chinese Government had appointed Gens. Chang Tso-hsiang and Wang Shu-hon to receive the territory to be evacuated by the Japanese force as arranged by the League of Nations.—*Reinsha.*

Alleged Independence Move.

Peking, Oct. 7.
Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang has appointed Gens. Chang Tso-hsiang and Wang Shu-hon to re-occupy and to render efficient protection to the districts in Liaoning as soon as they are evacuated by the Japanese.

However, it is alleged that the Japanese are trying to create a Manchuria-Mongolian Empire and propose to elect the ex-Emperor, Po-yi, or the ex-prince, Kung Ching-wang, as Emperor.

The ex-Prince, Kung, it is said has already gone to South Manchuria.—*Reinsha.*

Munitions for Mongols?

Peking, Oct. 7.
According to telegrams received by Chang Hsueh-liang's headquarters, five trains loaded with munitions reached Kusu on October 2, and Japanese troops accompanying them confined the station staff while a hundred Mongol carts unloaded the munitions and carried them off to the Mongol chiefs in Inner Mongolia.

Similar cargoes arrived on October 3, at a small station near Taonan, and were despatched to Tahn, where a thousand Mongol troops are camped, headed by thirty Mongol returned students from Japan.

It is also alleged that the Mongol Princes and troops are concentrated at Chongchiatun, preparing to declare independence and march on Chongchiatun. They are also being supplied, state the telegrams, with rifles, guns, and ammunition by the Japanese.

The Chinese allege that these munitions were taken from the Mukden arsenal after the Japanese occupation.—*Reinsha.*

A Search of Residences.

Shanghai, Oct. 7.
The Japanese garrison at Mukden is reported to have entered residences of wealthy people, allegedly searching for arms, and as a result refugees to the number of 1,000 a day are continuously leaving the city.

Chinese police in the city are not allowed to carry arms, and in consequence they are unable to check the action of the troops who are alleged to have committed acts of plunder, and many police officers have left the city for Chingchow.—*Reinsha.*

Position at Kirin.

Tientsin, Oct. 7.
It is reported that the Japanese authorities in Kirin have prohibited the flying of the Kuomintang colours and the teaching of Kuomintang doctrines in the schools.

A member of the Kuomintang Council is said to have been executed and two others imprisoned by the Japanese.

Mr. Hanson, the United States Consul at Harbin, arrived at Changchun on the 3rd, to inspect the damage done by Japanese troops. He proceeded to Kirin on the 5th, and is returning to Harbin by way of Tuhua.

Gen. Yuan Chin-kai and others have issued a declaration stating that the committee for the preservation of peace, which they have formed, is merely a temporary organ for maintaining peace in Liaoning and will be abolished as soon as appropriate persons have been appointed to take control of the province.—*Reinsha.*

PEACE HOPES.

CHIANG KAI-SHEK MUST RESIGN.

Canton, Oct. 7.
An extraordinary session of the Central Kuomintang is holding a press conference to-day, at which Mr. Sun Fo will deliver a long speech on the peace proceedings, and the Government will adopt a resolution that Chiang Kai-shek must resign and summon a unification conference to produce a united National Government.—*Central Press.*

Nanking's Version.

Nanking, Oct. 7.
After a week's deadlock, the Canton-Nanking peace negotiations appear brighter.

Wu Teh-chen to-day stated that the Canton leaders, in view of the present national crisis, had waived all conditions for peace with Nanking, and Chen Ming-shu was coming to the capital immediately to report to Chiang Kai-shek.

Wu Teh-chen added that Wang Ching-wei and Sun Fo were coming to Nanking with Tsai Yuanpei and Cheng Chi, without demanding guarantees for their safety, and the Government leaders had telegraphed congratulating them on their attitude and welcoming them to the capital.—*Reuter.*

GERMAN AFFAIRS.

RESIGNATION OF THE CABINET.

Berlin, Oct. 7.
The German Cabinet has resigned.

If Dr. Brüning succeeds in forming a Cabinet that will command a bare majority in the Reichstag, Germany will continue to be ruled by emergency decrees, which actually means that the country will be under a dictatorship able to crush all opposition; but if he fails, Germany may in desperation be compelled to try to get out of her present calamitous dilemma by putting her fate in the hands of Hitler and Hugenberg.—*Reuter.*

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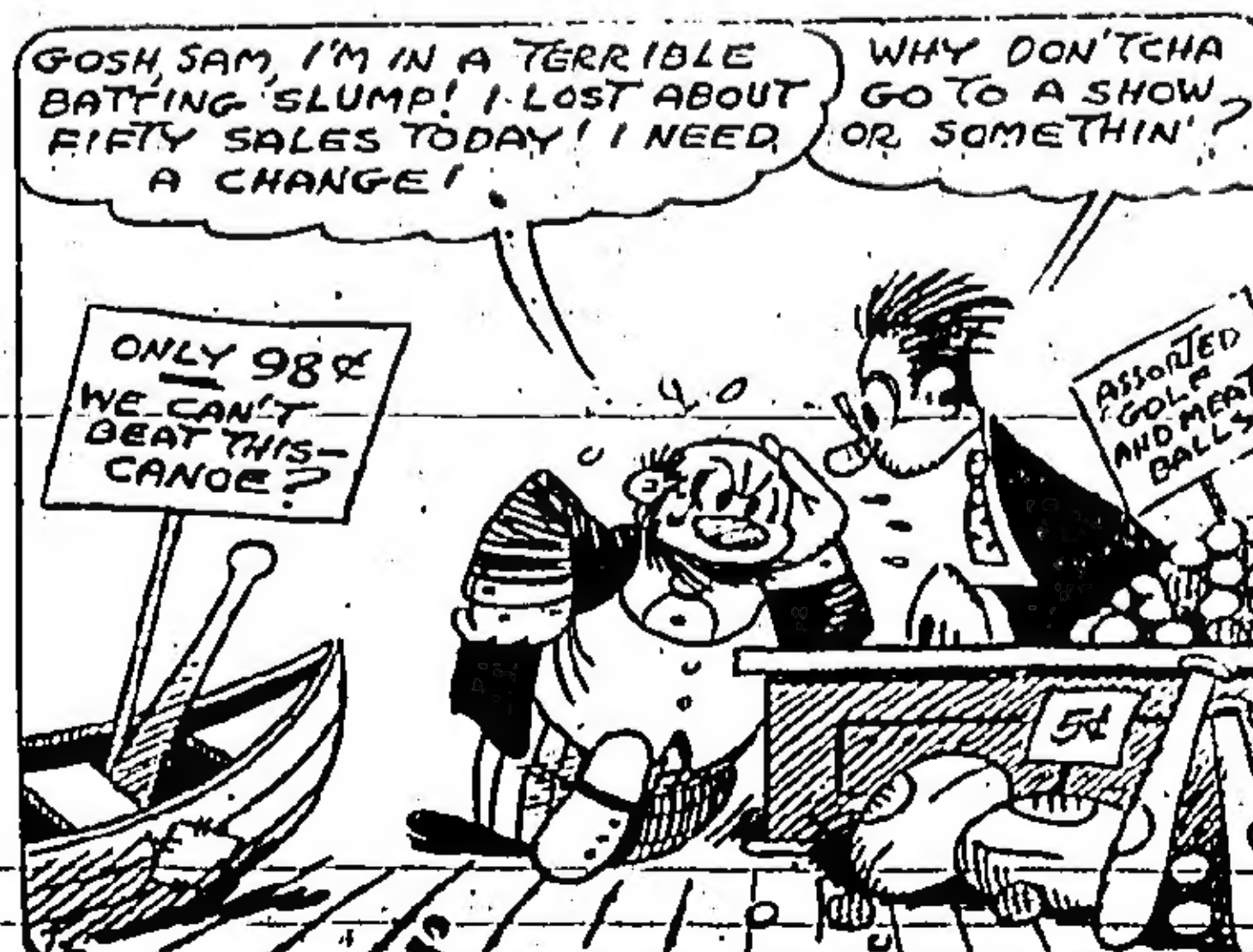
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Kaye Don, Britain's speedboat king, and his crew shown in the Detroit River a minute after Miss England II had met with disaster on the first turn of the second heat in the Harmsworth Trophy Race with the American, Car Wood. The picture shows (1) the nose of Miss England II just before she went to the bottom; (2) Don's two mechanics; (3) a coast guard boat rushing to the rescue; (4) Kaye Don about to be picked up by a private boat (5).

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Little Princess Elizabeth was a participant in a golden wedding anniversary celebration at Glamis Castle recently. Above she is seen with her parents, the Duke and Duchess of York, in what is one of the best informal pictures ever taken of the famous family. The occasion was the fiftieth anniversary of the Earl and Countess of Strathmore, parents of the Duchess.

Heart of Liane

by MABEL McEILLIOTT

CHAPTER XLV

The next day Liane went into Clive's room and shut the door. The new, very inexperienced housemaid was giving the place its weekly "turning out" and Liane had passed her on the stairs only a moment before with an armful of Clive's tennis flannels which she was taking into the kitchen garden to air.

Liane stood for a breathless instant quite alone in the big, sunshiny room. She had never before entered its sacred, mood-inducing parlour. Clive's big, ebony-backed brushes lay on the linen cart of the high boy, a row of his boots ranged on a low shelf, glimpsed through the closed door. Beyond could be seen the white bathroom with the huge British towels he loved, the bottle of lavender lotion of which his linen faintly smelled.

Liane touched the brushes with a tentative finger. There was a definite objective of her visit. Certain that the housemaid was chatting downstairs she tiptoed to the small secretary that stood in the corner and began hastily to rifle the papers there.

The object she sought was shortly at hand. She held it up triumphantly to the light. It was a snapshot of a tall, fair-haired young man in riding kit. She said, "What luck!" and stuffed it into her blouse. As she turned to flee an open letter on stiff cream-coloured paper with a modernistic monogram in silver caught her eye. Against her will almost she read the words:

"Clive, darling: You were a sweet lamb to take care of all that for me and I never can thank you enough. What ever should I do without you? I shall see you on Tuesday and expect to hear that all our affairs are going nicely. Until then, I am always yours, TRESSA."

Liane stamped one small, suede-shod foot. "Clive, darling!" indeed! How dared she take that tone with Clive? She had no right. What did Tressa mean by "our affairs"?

Liane knew from something Shane McDermid had said that Tressa's hand had been in the blackmailing scheme launched at the night club. She had always suspected Tressa of being involved in the kidnapping on the night of the Hunt. But although there had been no proof of that, Tressa had positive evidence that Tressa had arranged the meeting between herself and Van that day on the Long Island turnpike, when she had gone for the first fitting of her wedding dress. Now to think that this girl dared to come between her and Clive! The thought infuriated Liane.

"She shan't have him!" she whispered. She resolved to be sly and wise as a serpent in this affair.

As she came out of Clive's room the new housemaid trotted up the stairs. In housewife fashion Liane remarked on the state of the closets and escaped, the crisp paper of the snapshot crinkling under the soft stuff of her blouse. The letter she had left as she found it.

It was no surprise when Clive remarked next morning that he wondered if she would mind asking Tressa out for a brief visit.

"She's practically out of funds," he admitted with a laugh which sounded to Liane's suspicious ears embarrassed. "She's putting up at a hotel and I'm afraid it's a wretched place. Not the sort of thing she's used to. I thought it might be the decent thing for us to do considering that Mother has always asked her to stay here when she's around."

"Of course," Liane agreed, masking her true feelings. "I'll write her at once." In his presence she gave orders to have the east room made ready. She had not broached again the subject of their own affairs. Now she was afraid to do so. What if he actually agreed to a divorce and made plans to put it through with dispatch? The thought frightened Liane. Now that she faced the immediate possibility of losing Clive, she appreciated with her meant to her. She deserved, she assured herself, nothing better. For so long she had closed her eyes to his charm.

All that day, as she rode in the quiet lanes, as she ate her solitary lunch, she pondered the problem. There were several methods of procedure. She might stake everything on one bold throw. She might tell Clive what she knew and what she suspected of Tressa's earlier perfidy. She might ignore all that and give the other girl a battle on her own ground. The first plan she rejected. All was fair in love and war she knew, but she shrank from the notion of exposing her rival so shamelessly.

No. She would just have to take the chance of beating Tressa at this game. If only she hadn't provided Clive with an "out" by that suggestion last week that he might be better off free!

When Tressa arrived, bag and baggage, Liane forced herself to show a cordiality she did not feel. The other girl's greeting, while effusive, held a touch of wariness Liane was quick to sense.

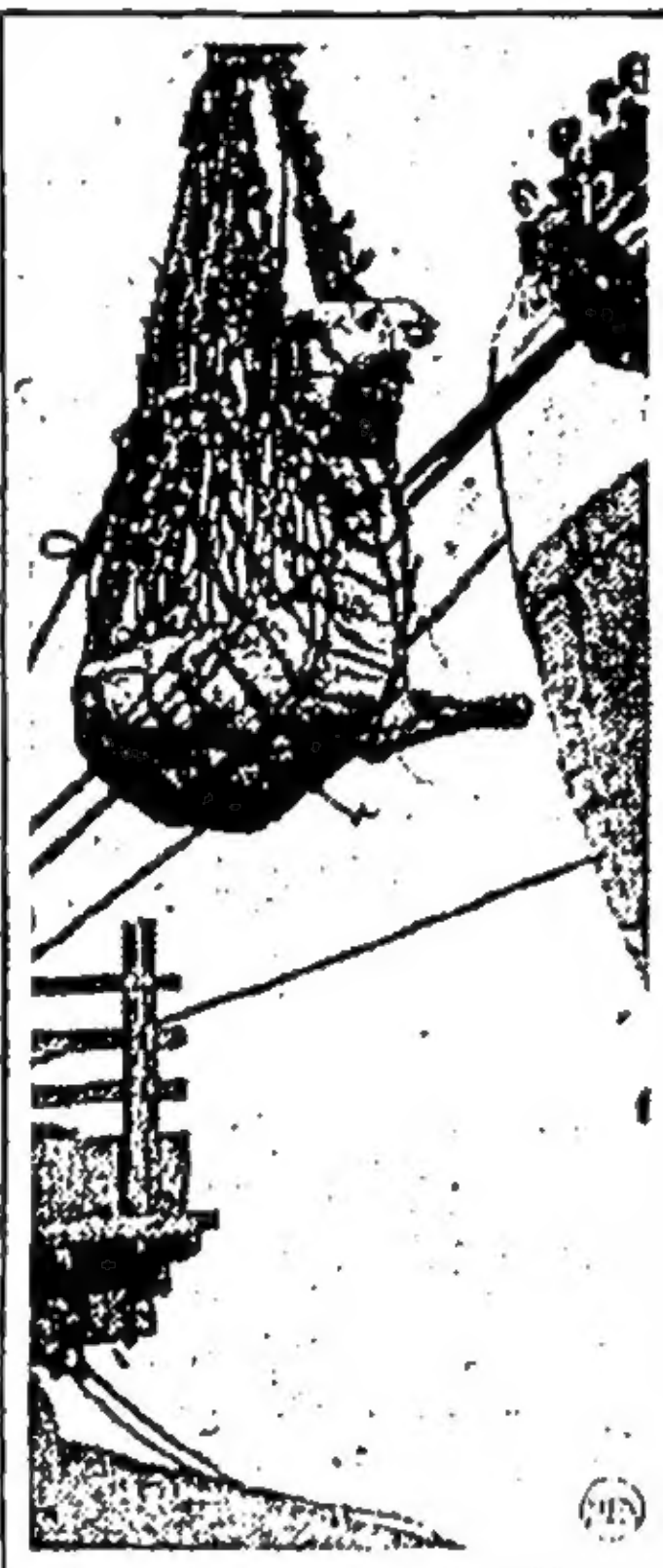
"She doesn't like me any better than I like her," the girl thought. "She hates me for being mistress here."

"Clive tells me you've been ill," Tressa purred smoothly. "But you look so well I'd not have believed it."

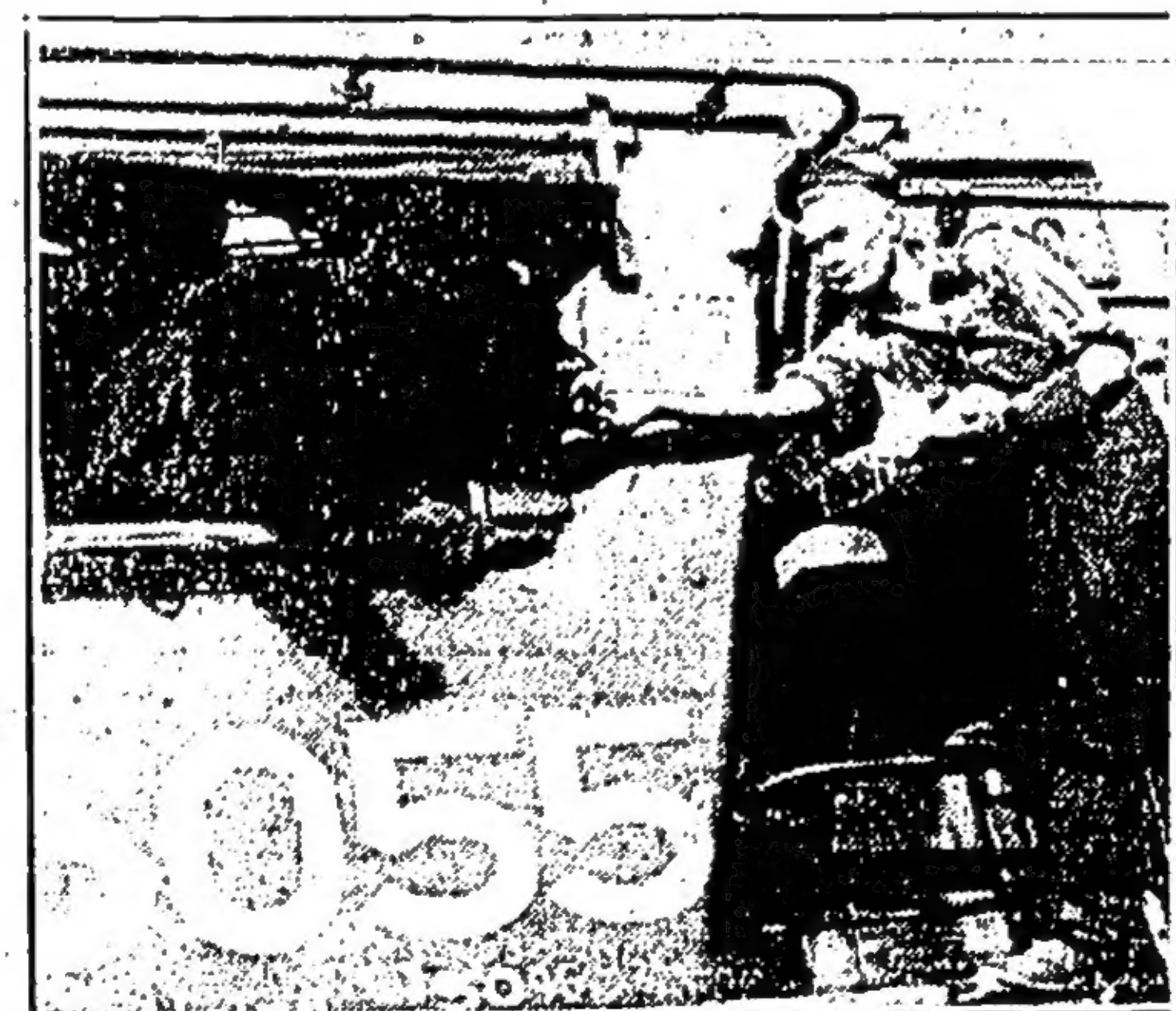
With a stab the thought occurred to Liane that Clive might have confided to this sleek, green-eyed woman the curious sort of marriage he had made. She rejected that as unworthy. Clive was too fine, too honourable, to make confidences concerning her. Still the idea rankled. Were men ever too fine and honourable to tell seductive women secrets? There could be no doubt of Tressa's seductiveness. Her round cheeks had a peachy bloom. Her exquisitely curved figure was a delight to behold. Liane, watching without seeming to, acknowledged with bitter reluctance the potency of Tressa's charm.

"No man in his senses would prefer me to her," thought she. Still Clive had chosen her in the first place when Tressa had been at hand. But what did that prove? Nothing at all. Men were fickle, always and the flower just out of reach was the most desirable.

Liane took especial pains as she dressed "on the first night of Tressa's stay. Twice, thrice, she



Just before leaving Cairo, this white camel, whose name is Maids, took a long drink. It lashed her until she was lowered away from the ship at San Francisco, where she became the bride of Moses, white camel in the Fleischhacker zoo.



The grizzly sight that greeted the fireman of a Canadian National Railway locomotive when he returned to the engine cab in Jasper National Park. No wonder he made overtures to the strange "engineer" by offering him part of his lunch.

rearranged her softly waving bronze-gold hair. She rubbed poppy coloured salve on her lips and let her cheeks go uncoloured. She thought this made her seem older, more a woman of the world.

Her frock was black and in the deep V of the bodice she thrust the snapshot of Clive. She met him on the landing, very tall and attractive in his dinner clothes. His bow seemed formal. "Isn't that a new gown?"

She hoped her smile was not as coquettish as it felt. "It is. Do you like it?"

"Very becoming and so crown up."

She noted the twinkle and coloured unwillingly. Was he making fun of her?

Tressa, in a swirl of pale coloured lace with little red shoes twinkling in and out beneath her flounces, rushed down upon them.

"Give me a light, darling," she sang out to Clive. She put the cigarette between her pretty, painted lips and held her face close to his as he performed the little cere-

mony. "I loathe her, loathe her, loathe her!" cried Liane in her inmost heart, watching the tableau. Clive's handsome profile had been close to Tressa's pouting mouth. It might almost have been a kiss, that gesture. Liane knew Tressa thought so, too.

She turned her back on them and went to the window. She ground her nails into her palms to keep from crying out. This, she reminded herself, was not the way. She must smile and pretend not to see. She must fight this alluring woman with Tressa's own weapons. To show hurt was to admit defeat. When she turned around she was smiling faintly.

"I'm starved," Liane said. "Come on, you two. Ellen says dinner is ready."

At the table, she was almost gay. But she soon discovered the conversation was being taken out of her hands. Although technically she was mistress Tressa subtly made her feel an interloper. Tressa talked of "people whom she and



The laboratory of the Royal Institution in which Michael Faraday, the famous British scientist, discovered the nature of electrical generation was reconstructed at the Faraday Centenary Celebration in London. This picture shows the chemical laboratory exactly as it looked in 1852 with Faraday at work. Inset is Faraday.

Clive had known all their lives, of places Liane had never seen. Occasionally as though with difficulty she politely included Liane in her conversation. The younger woman was no match for Tressa's studied suavity. Clive felt the tension in the atmosphere but did not know exactly what was happening.

As they sat over their coffee a little later one of the maids summoned Clive to the telephone and the two women were left together. The constraint was almost tangible. Tressa sipped with her bracelets and walked about humming a little tune. She did not even trouble to make conversation.

Quite suddenly Liane determined to bring war openly into camp. "Did you ever get that box of thumb tacks?" she asked coolly, eyeing the other girl.

Tressa stared. "What? Whatever are you talking about?"

"The tacks you borrowed the day I was driving into town for my fitting," Liane said with deadly quietness. Her glance never wavered from the other's and she had the satisfaction of seeing her adversary flush.

"I haven't the faintest idea what you're driving at," Tressa announced with cool insolence. "I'm afraid you imagine things." She began to hum again very softly and continued to pace up and down, waving her cigarette to and fro. Clive's voice could be heard faintly from the booth down the hall.

Suddenly Tressa turned, staring upon her hostess, her nostrils dilated and her voice trembling with anger.

"You'd better not try to start anything at this late day," she cried furiously. "You'd better do what you can to straighten out this mess (Continued on Page 10.)"

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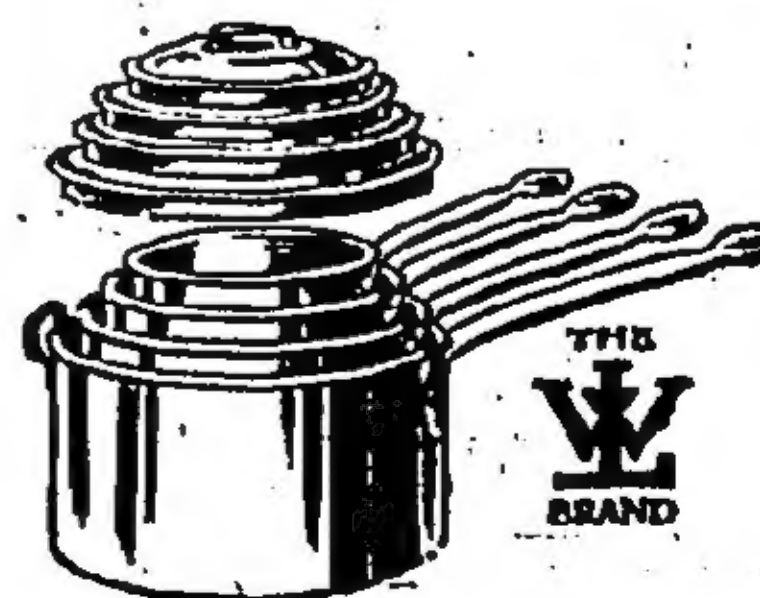
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ESME HENDERSON,
Acting Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 7th October, 1931.

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NOTICE.

ON SATURDAY, the 10th October, 1931, All Departments will be CLOSED.

The Hongkong Dispensary.

Dispensing Department, will be OPEN for dispensing Prescriptions from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

A. S. WATSON & CO. LIMITED.
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at the offices of the General Managers, 2 Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on Friday, the 9th October, at 10.45 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts. Declaring a Dividend and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 25th September, to the 9th October, 1931, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors
J. D. THOMSON,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th September, 1931.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 10th October, 1931, commencing at 2 p.m.
The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5 for Gentlemen and \$3 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for payment of all debts, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the Race Course.

Members can obtain upon application to the Secretary Badges (limited to ONE) for the free admission to the Members' Enclosure of wives, lady relatives and friends. Names must be stated when applying.

On no pretext will children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box by 5 p.m. on the 9th October. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2 including tax for all persons including ladies and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted half price.

Bookmakers, Tie Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tickets will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 5th October, 1931.

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 12th day of October, 1931, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of one Lot of Crown Land at Shamshulpo, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in sq. feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
1	10131	On Chai Street	N. R. P. W.	As per sale plan.	About 3,250	\$40.00

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 12th day of October, 1931, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of one Lot of Crown Land at Magazine Gap Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

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2	10132	Magazine Gap Road.	N. R. P. W.	As per sale plan.	About 11,410	\$78

BANK HOLIDAY.

In Accordance with Government Ordinance, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on Saturday, the 10th of October, (The Anniversary of the Chinese Republic).
Hongkong, 6th October, 1931.

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Shipping experts have pronounced the President Coolidge fully the equal of the President Hoover, which has been pronounced America's most beautiful liner. Mr. William Dugan is Chief Engineer of the President Coolidge with Mr. Edward Seely as Purser and Mr. Harry Laycock in charge of the Stewards' Department.

STRUGGLE FOR A REVOLVER.

ARMED ROBBERY FAILS.

A struggle with an armed robber for possession of a revolver occurred at 617, Shanghai Street at noon yesterday, when a Chinese entered the premises with the intention of robbing the house.

Chun Sing-san, was on the premises at noon yesterday when a Chinese, armed with a revolver entered. Chun immediately attacked the intruder and struggled desperately for possession of the revolver. Fearing to use it, the robber was disarmed and immediately afterwards three other men, armed with files, entered the premises. Chun's wife, nephew and son-in-law raised the alarm and the men ran away without taking anything.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

On Saturday, 10th October, the General Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to noon, Kowloon Post Office 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and the other Branch Post Offices 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.
There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 9 a.m.
The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date
Europe via Suez (letters and papers), London 10th September and parcels 3rd Sept.	Nalders	October 8.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 19th September)	Vogtland	October 9.
Australia and Manila	Changta	October 9.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 19th September)	Mantua	October 9.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 19th September)	Pres. Madison	October 9.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sulyang	October 10.
Straits	Allpore	October 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Chenonceaux	October 12.
Salgon	D'Artagnan	October 13.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Oct. 8, 8 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Thurs., Oct. 8, 8.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Thurs., Oct. 8, 4 p.m.
Amoy	Santhia	Thurs., Oct. 8, 5 p.m.
Formosa	Benwyvia	Thurs., Oct. 8, 6 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhol and Halphong	Solviken	Thurs., Oct. 8, 6 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Nalders	Fri., Oct. 9, 10.30 a.m.
Rabaul	Bremerhaven	Fri., Oct. 9, 10.30 a.m.
*Manila and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Vogtland	Fri., Oct. 9, 12.50 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhol and Halphong	Klungchow	Fri., Oct. 9, 12.50 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Oct. 9, 1 p.m.
Sam Shui and Wuchow	Kong Ning	Fri., Oct. 8, 4 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America, and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	Empress of Canada	Sat., Oct. 10.
	Parcels	Oct. 9, 5 p.m.
	Registration	Oct. 10, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters	Oct. 10, 10 a.m.
		(Due Vancouver, B.C., 25th October).

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles

Parcels, Oct. 9, 4.30 p.m.
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Letters, Oct. 10, 10 a.m.
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Parcels, Oct. 9, 5 p.m.
Reg., Oct. 10, 9.45 a.m.
Letters, Oct. 10, 10.30 a.m.
(Due Marseilles, 6th Nov.)
Kingyuan Sat., Oct. 10, 9 a.m.
Pros. Madison Sat., Oct. 10, Noon.
Kiangsu Sun., Oct. 11, 9 a.m.

Shinyo Maru Mon., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
(Due San Francisco, 6th Nov.)

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, C and S America and *Europe via San Francisco President Jackson Tues., Oct. 13.

Parcels 10 a.m.
Reg., 11.45 a.m.
Letters 12.30 p.m.
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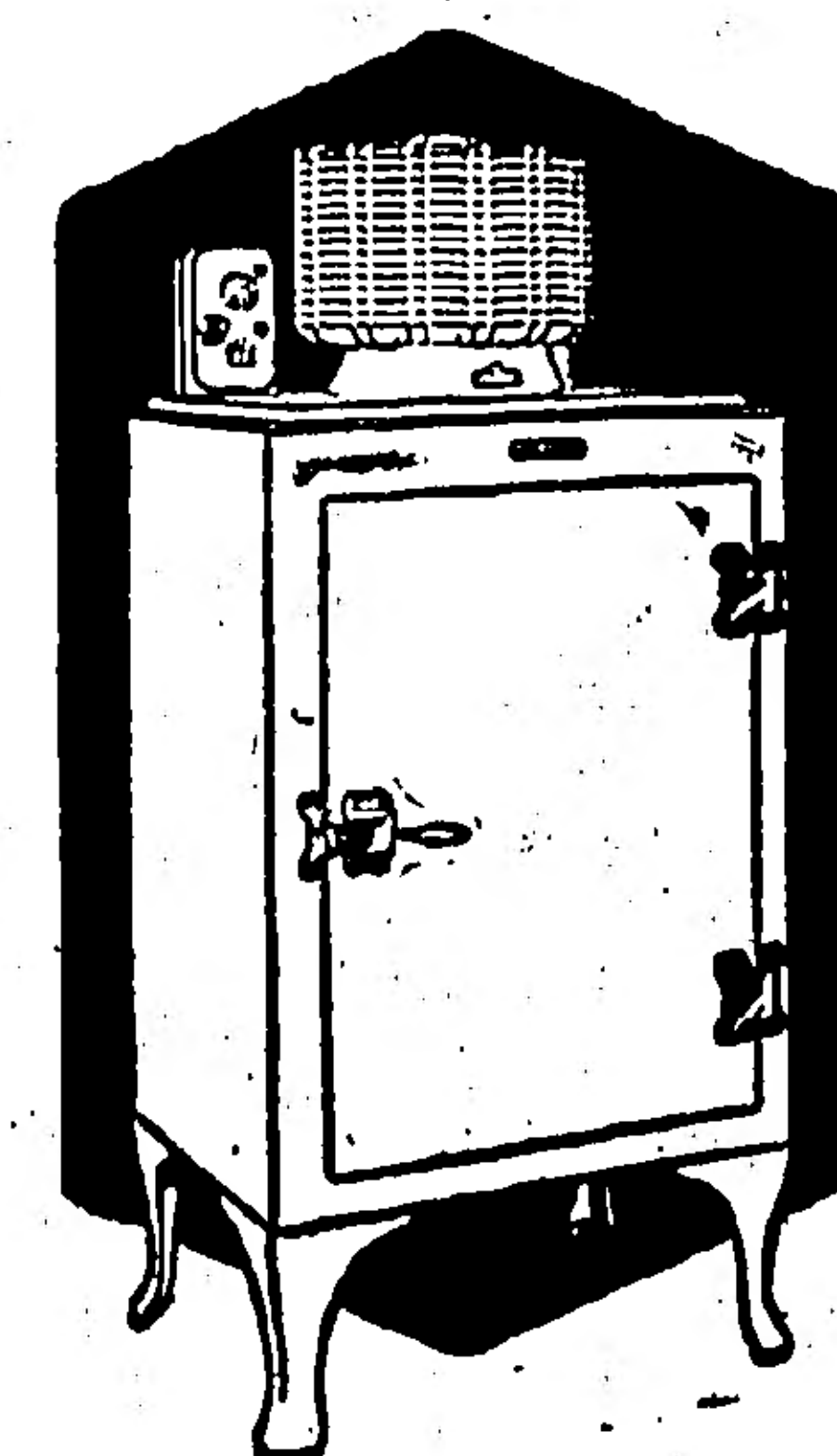
Port Bayard, Holhow, Pakhol and *Halphong Tonkin Tues., Oct. 13, Noon.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Haiching Tues., Oct. 13, 1 p.m.
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WOMEN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

BEAUTY HINTS.

(By Alicia Hart.)

If you ever have watched a baby wriggling his toes and have noticed the way they are almost as agile as fingers, then you know to what extent your own toes have become practically useless.

Get out of your shoes and wriggle your toes about. See if you can move each toe separately, without moving any other one. Few adults can. The way they grow less and less movable while tucked away in shoes and not used at all is really startling.

There are several exercises which you can perfect so that you can do them without taking off your shoes. In other words, while sitting at your desk working, sitting at home reading or even riding in the auto or street car you can exercise your toes to good advantage.

First of all, just learn to wriggle them. The best way to do this is to get barefooted and stand in mud or wet sand and move your toes about until the mud or sand gets up between your toes. See how much you can wriggle on top of your foot. Then wriggle it off and begin again.

Second, stand on tiptoe and pull all over the hands or feet. Don't drop back on the ball of your foot for a long time. You can do this with your toes in the air.

Third, sit on a chair and pull the feet out as far as you can, then pull them back in. Do this several times. This exercise is very good for the feet and the legs.

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A-USEFUL HINT.

Cleaning Soiled Books.

Most householders would experience considerable pleasure if told that their treasured books, soiled during the time they have been lent out, could be restored to their original beauty. Yet this is true in many instances. If a few simple remedies be taken.

Sometimes, through an accident one will assume, several of the pages in a volume will unfortunately be marked by grease spots, an error that the owner feels she would give much to remove. Fortunately, no expense need be incurred, for the grease is easily and quickly eliminated if one places a piece of clean blotting paper over the spot, following this by passing a warm flat-iron carefully over it. On inspection, the operator will joyfully find that the blotting paper has absorbed all the grease, and the page is delightfully clean.

Occasionally a book will come home with ink stains in various

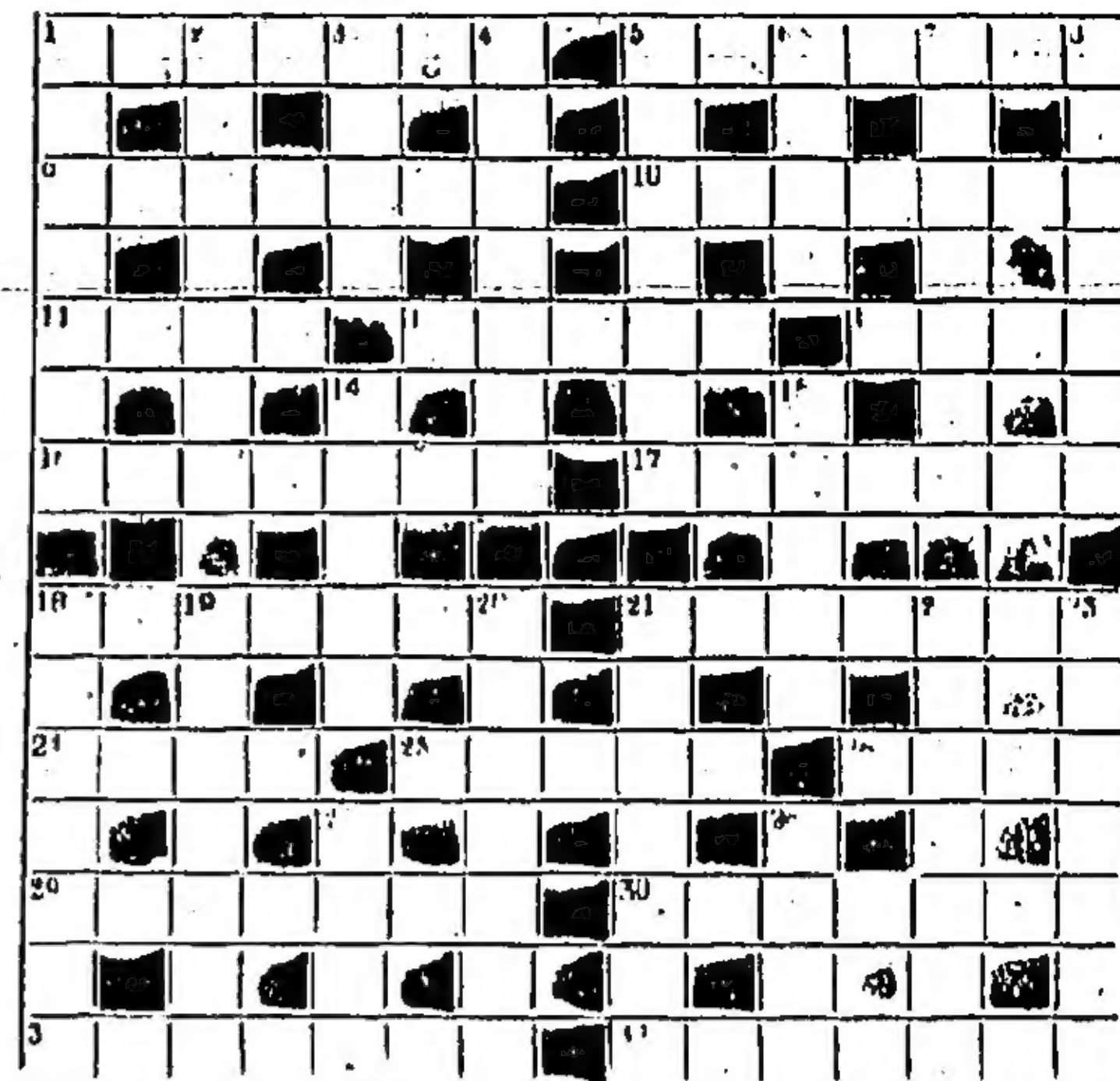
parts. Do not despair, or think that a renovation will be expensive. A simple but effective remover will be found in salt and water (one of salt and six of water). Apply the liquid to the ink spot with a little brush, placing a sheet of blotting paper beneath the page. Now complete the renovation with a warm iron similarly to the way with grease. Take care, however, to see that the iron is warm, but not hot.

After renovating her treasures thus, the careful owner will take all precautions against deterioration which results from various temperature conditions.

Among these dangers is one of the worst, and it should be counteracted by placing the library in a dry place. Even then, the owner should be careful not to pack the books too tightly, but to allow a space between them, because by such means all lurking moisture evaporates.

In many instances where glass covers are used, dampness will unfortunately enter at various seasons. Therefore, one is wise to open the doors occasionally when a few minutes airing will be decidedly beneficial.

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- 12 Yarns you will receive with thanks.
- 13 What one cannot very well do to a broken vase—except anagrammatically.
- 16 Descent in which a line to the old is absolutely necessary.
- 17 Touching, but vulgar description of a gentleman of colour.
- 18 Largely made a larant, though incomplete.
- 21 Shrieks about the choicest part.
- 24 May be French or filbert.
- 25 Describes the young person who fears a conflagration.
- 26 French mountain range.
- 27 Sure to arrive before night.
- 30 Two 5 down towns make an escape from custody.
- 31 Confine within certain limits, taking the other into account.
- 32 The highest is discovered by an all inclusive trial.

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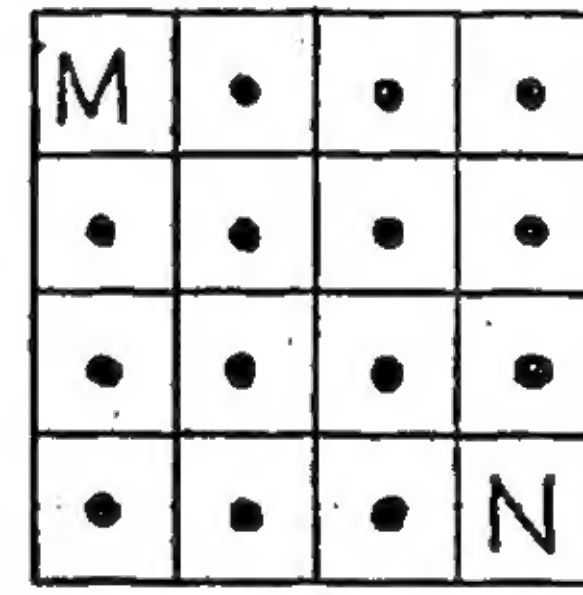
- 1 A primitive Party man.
- 2 Is right, and is wrong, in the Embassy.
- 3 "Pare" (anag.).
- 4 Placed.
- 5 There's a lot in this game—not to say a heap.
- 6 Women have what a cat does.

- 7 I begin to place in quarantine, and finish thus behind time.
- 8 Choose again.
- 14 Having sufficient strength in itself, though in it is of no force.
- 15 The monthing of a cur.
- 18 Hanging with a small hollow under the coop.
- 19 Though there is a tear round the design, the garments are complete.
- 20 Lolls about the smoking-rooms.
- 21 There's a warm corner in the heart of a snail for his under-vest.
- 22 Flatter.
- 23 Describes a landscape on which the sun does not shine.
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STICKERS



By using only three letters of the alphabet, can you fill in the dotted squares so that the large square will contain four words reading alike both vertically and across?

Yesterday's Solution.

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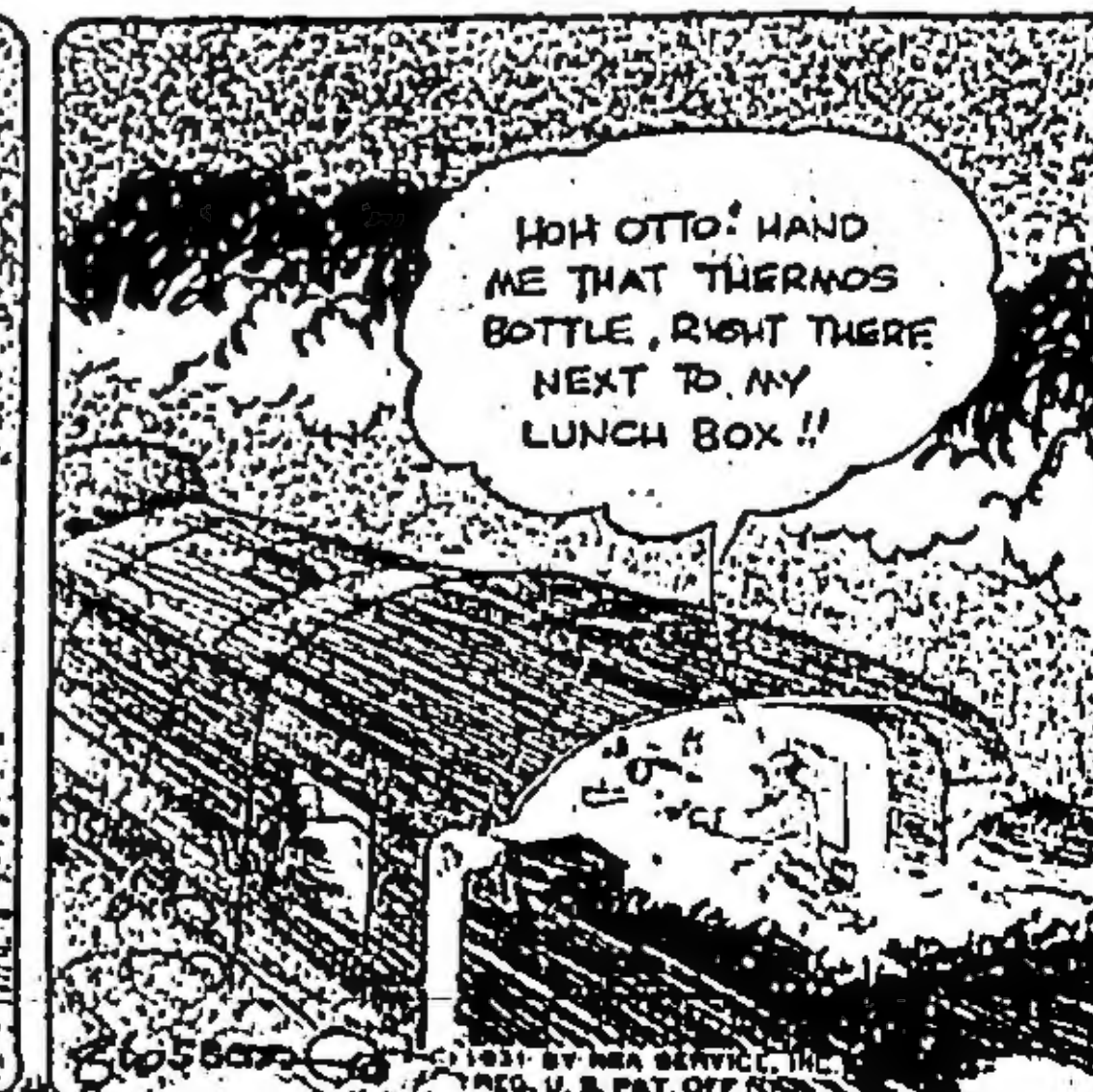
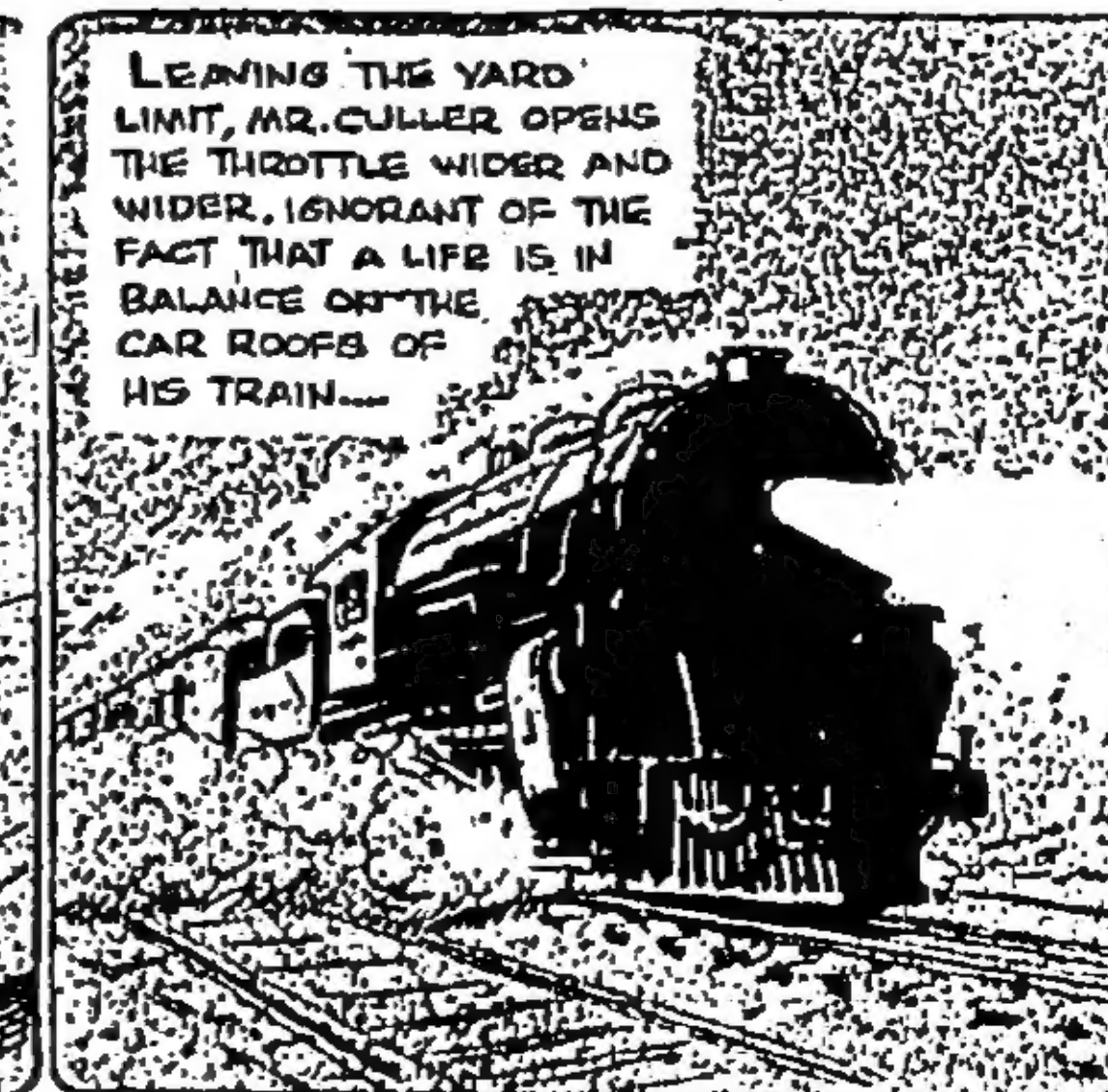
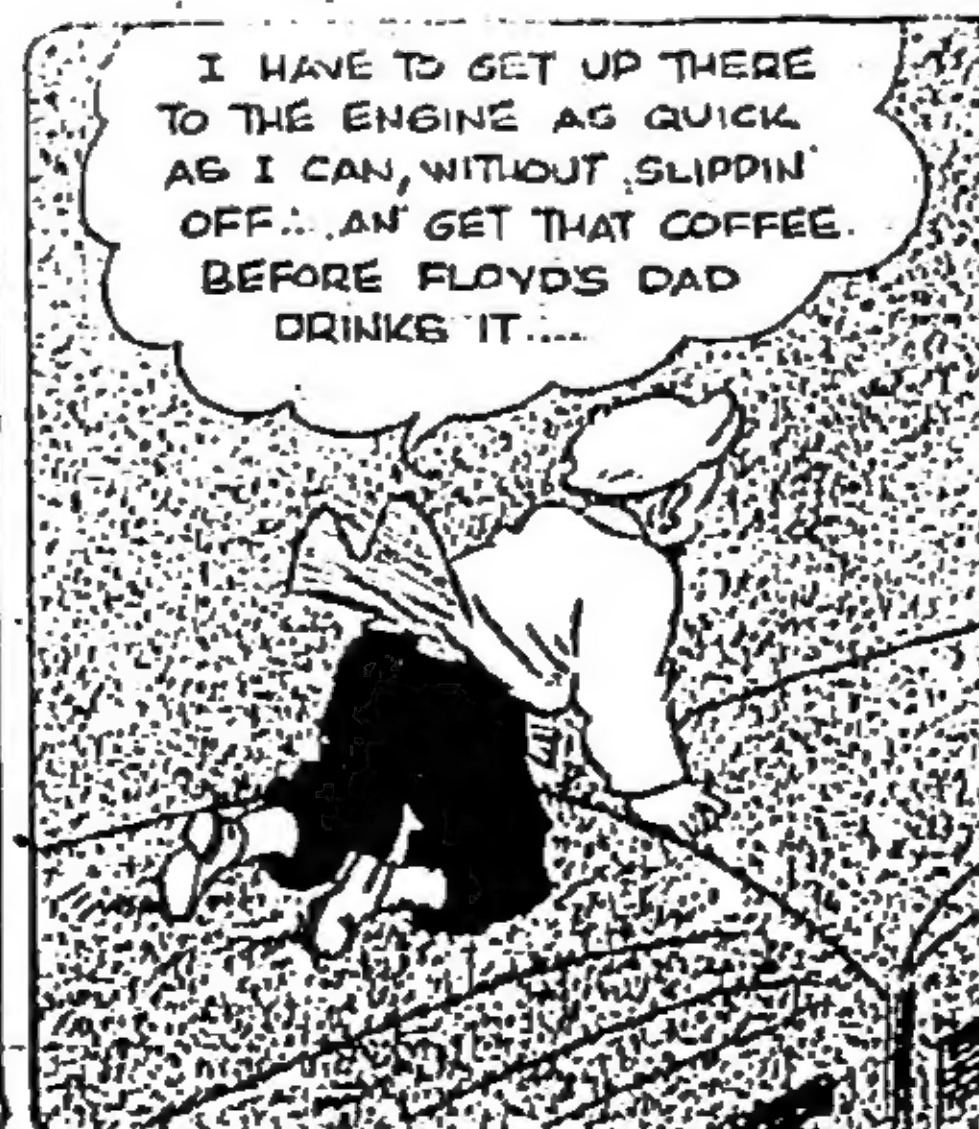
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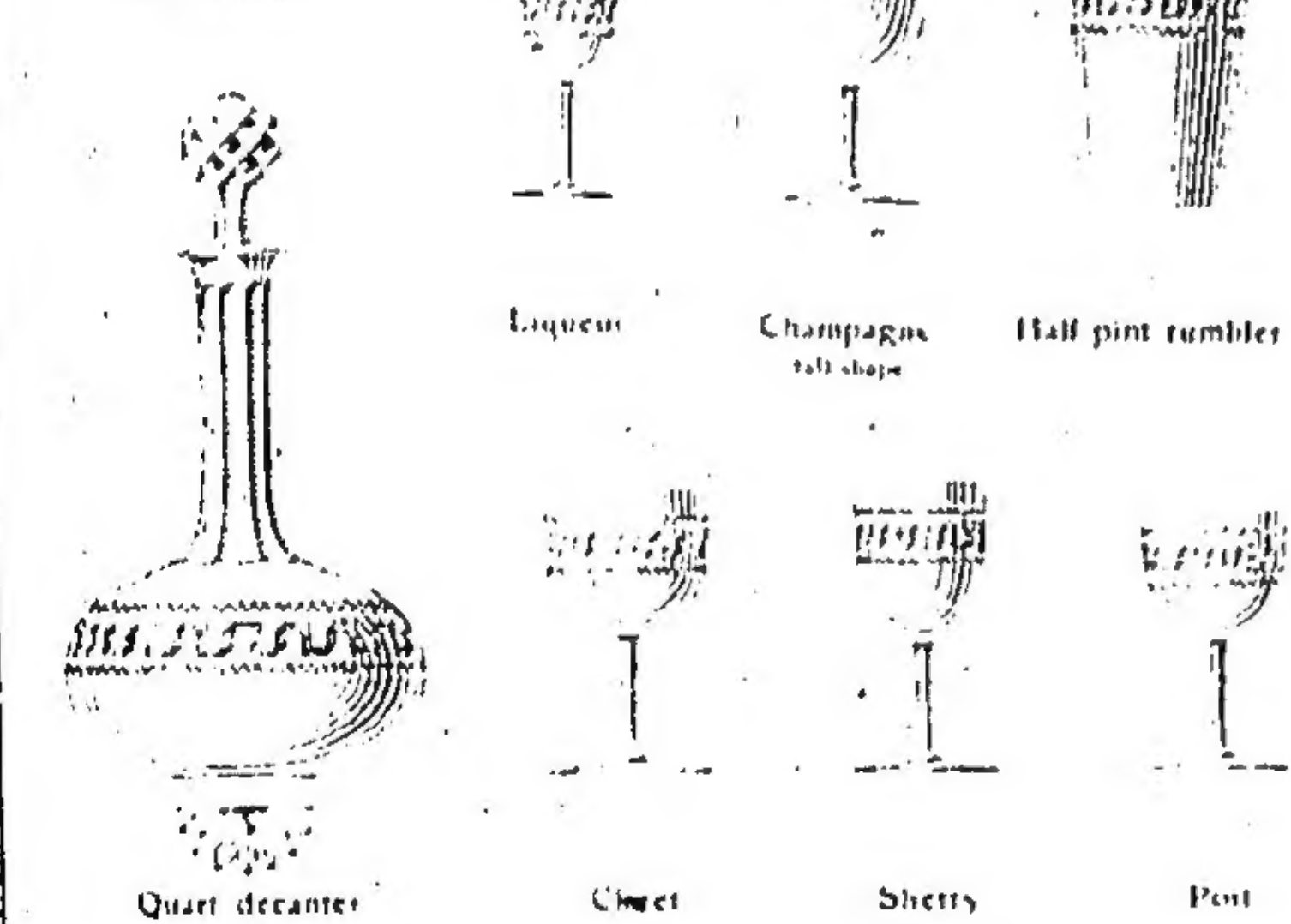
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THE ELECTION.

For better or for worse, Britain is to be plunged into the throes of a General Election. Strong reasons could be cited why the country should be spared both the expense and the confusion resulting from an appeal to the electorate. On the other hand, it may be just as well to get the air cleared by the putting into office, with the full endorsement of the public, of a Government which will be able to feel that it has the nation behind it. The election will be without precedent in the nature of the contest. Party labels, excepting in the case of Labour, are being largely discarded; the people will be asked to choose between an Administration "of all the talents" and one representative of the bulk of the Labour Party. A short, bitterly-contested trial of strength seems inevitable. The result will not be easy to forecast, but we shall be surprised if the National Government does not go back in sufficient strength to carry on for a period enabling it to carry out essential measures assuring the future prosperity and progress of the nation.

As yet, there are no definite indications of the arrangements likely to be made to avoid three-cornered contests. Whatever these may be, it is essential that they should aim at reducing to the absolute minimum the possibility of a Conservative and a Liberal, both National candidates, putting up for the same seat in a fight against Labour. Such a procedure would only enhance Labour prospects of a victory. Even where the Labourite appeared to have small chance of success, the pitting of one National Government candidate against another might create an impression of lack of unity which would be regrettable. A far more sensible arrangement, in constituencies not now held by Liberals or Conservatives, would be some *pro rata* distribution of the openings, based, for example, on the showing of the parties in previous contests. The position of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald is most intriguing. He has been officially disowned by the local Labour organisation of Seaham, but, none

the less, he intends again contesting the seat. This is characteristic of the man. He would be the last to run away at the sign of opposition. Labour has hitherto had not the least difficulty in holding this seat, but we have to bear in mind that the Premier will automatically receive the support of the Liberal and Conservative electors, and, what is more, will certainly get a big sprinkling of Labour votes, in view of the fact that a section of Labour loyalists favour his candidacy. It will be a great triumph for the man who has put his country before his party if he succeeds in winning. From the very formation of the National Government, Mr. MacDonald has made it clear that he has surrendered none of his political beliefs. He is a Labourite still; he only differs from the Hendersonites by his belief that the times call for treatment of the country's affairs on a non-party basis. Certainly, the Prime Minister has never before enjoyed greater prestige than now. His personality and high principles should ensure his election.

For the sake of the welfare of the country and of its name abroad, we trust that Mr. MacDonald and his colleagues will be returned to power. The world is watching with interest this experiment of conducting Britain's affairs by a combination of all shades of political thought. To have dissolved the Government and reverted to party warfare at this juncture would have been fatal. The elections are being asked to endorse the non-party understanding, and to give the best brains of the country increased opportunities of co-operation for the common weal. We believe the result will be a triumph for common-sense.

World Crisis: A Chance Needed.

The world-embracing trade depression with its attendant unemployment, the Russian experiment in Communism, the international debt situation, and the disarmament problem have combined to make even the man in the street wonder what will happen next. The pessimists predict chaos. The optimists see light. Whatever the opinion may be, however, it is evident that traditional ideas must be discarded, economic nationalism with them, if a new social structure is to be built out of the wreck, adequate to withstand the batterings of the Machine Age and such manifestations of the onrush of progress. The capitalistic economic system is criticised for the very good reason that in times of depression the working classes suffer most. Communists bitterly deny it. Socialists of less extreme views resist it to the uttermost. The British Labour Party's attitude is not entirely bereft of reason. The capitalist defends it, of course. Factors outside his control are responsible! Governments, seeing no possibility of change, devise every means to support its foundations. The whole world meanwhile watches Russia with a new and growing interest. If the Five Year Plan succeeds, based though it is on a kind of State Capitalism, the rest of the world must be impressed. It will mean that the slogan "All for One, One for All," properly applied, must be of advantage to mankind. It will prove that the communal plan is not merely the impractical dream of an idealist. It cannot prove that the individual is happier under such a system. That is a task which will require decades. The most significant fact to-day, however, is this: although there are world-wide reactions to the depression, and problem of unemployment, people are becoming increasingly aware of the threat to civilisation on its present basis. The best some of them can suggest is a cancellation or revision of war debts and the diversion of much of the money now spent on armaments to more constructive purposes. Others are thinking more deeply. Suggestions are being made and plans formulated. Little has

DAY BY DAY

ALLOW NO MAN TO BE SO FAMILIAR WITH YOU AS TO FRUSTRATE YOU TO YOUR FACE.—*Sledge.*

Mr. R. Montague Ede returned from Manila by the Empress of Canada.

Mr. M. A. Cooper, B. Com., Lecturer in Commerce, will deliver his presidential address to the Hongkong University Law and Commerce Society on Monday Oct. 12, at 8.30 p.m., in the Union Assembly Room. The subject of the address will be "Population."

In connection with a recent report that Po Tse-sang, aged 50, was missing from Room 65 of the Ming Lee Building, House of 117, Connaught Road Central, a subsequent report has been issued by the police to the effect that the man was later found on the fifth floor of the Hongkong Hotel. He is stated to be insane.

The following forthcoming weddings are announced. Mr. George James Peed, Kowloon Y.M.C.A., to Miss Gladys Margaret Fishpool, who is travelling to Hongkong on board the S.S. Rajputana. Also Mr. Edward Terrace, Kowloon, to Miss Maria Pia Formosa Gutierrez, No. 22, Granville Road, Kowloon.

The opening concert of the season at the Helena May Institute will take place on October 16 at 5.30 p.m., and will be in the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Bowes-Smith. The concert throughout the season will be open to the public, the price of tickets being as usual, for members 40 cents, non-members 50 cents, Service Men and children 30 cents. Tickets should be booked in advance.

A sequel to the recent outrage at Hangzhou where villagers savagely attacked a number of pigs under the belief that they were of Japanese origin, has been the removal of fifteen pigsties to the slaughterhouse, to be killed. In a brief police report issued this morning it was stated that of the 97, one was killed outright and fifteen others so badly lacerated that they were subsequently slaughtered.

SILVER FUTURES.

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

Messrs. Pentreath and Co. have been advised by cable of the following quotations for New York silver future as at the close of the market yesterday.

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been accomplished, but slow progress is being made. What is eventually to happen will be determined by leaders in thought and statesmanship. If they recognise that changes in the present economic system must be made, that there are good features in systems other than their own, and that the future demands a means whereby present conditions can be solved with a blending of new and old ideas, then the pessimists can be proved wrong. That is the reason optimists see light penetrating the gloom of the complex world crisis. Whether it will flicker out or will brighten, it is impossible to foretell.

Politico-Philosophical Fermentation in France.

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON.

LOVE of self-analysis is pushed far by French intellectuals. It is probable that French thinkers understand themselves and their compatriots better than the thinkers of any other European nation. They aim at clarity and they are often remarkably successful in depicting themselves in lapidary phrases.

I recently referred to the publications of Andre Siegfried in which he does for France with even more penetration than which he has done for the United States and Great Britain. Nor is the opinion of the former disavowed. A book which had a great vogue was the critical estimate of French qualities and defects by Friedrich Sieburg, who was the Paris correspondent of the *Frankfurter Zeitung*.

The French have not lost interest in themselves. With alert intelligence they are perpetually examining old traits and new tendencies. They keep stopping to ask which way they are going. Their self-curiosity is insatiable; and it is not a curiosity of complacency, but a curiosity which is scorchingly severe.

Know thyself, said the ancient sage; and it is not for want of trying if the French do not altogether succeed. Such success as they have is relative, for their interest in themselves is intellectual rather than emotional. One is almost tempted to say that they talk and write about themselves as a pastime. It entertains them to sum up their virtues and their vices in an epigram, to generalize brilliantly, to play with words and ideas as with glittering balls.

Maurice Barres, had not circumstances thrown him into public affairs, would have liked to spend his life in the "Culte du Moi." That is, in a lesser degree, the characteristic of all Frenchmen. But beyond the "Culte du Moi" there is to be found, among the elite, the "Culte de la Patrie."

It is strange that the decadence should figure in two recent publications which apply themselves to a fresh examination of the national consciousness. One is a pamphlet by R. Aron and A. Danicou entitled *Decadence de la Nation Française*. Like Georges Duhamel's much-discussed volume on America—which was really not so much a diatribe against America as a reaffirmation of the French horror of mechanisation—this pamphlet insists on the supremacy of what is called the "spiritual" to which the economic must be subordinated, and of which the political is the common instrument. The chief problem is represented as that of adapting the modern man to modern industrial conditions to the modern man.

The notion of nationalism is, according to these authors, doomed. There has been a "devalorization of frontiers," or at least the devalorization of frontiers is the natural and logical consequence of world developments. But the argument runs—if, at some future date, the nation perishes, the *patrie* will not perish. France, which has played a great historic part, and has sometimes, as is claimed, been the incarnation of the human conscience, must persist as the *patrie*; and the French,

keeping in contact with the soil and realizing their individuality, should resist the imposition of "national categories which are implacable and inhuman."

In a sentence, the authors propose that France, that is to say, not some clearly defined territory, but all who stand for the French ideal, should oppose the tyranny of egoistic abstractions, a mechanical ideology which would submerge the individual.

Decadence, again, cries Daniel Halévy. *Decadence de la Liberté*. The book of this admirable writer sets out to show that the old idea of personal liberty is being forgotten, and that we are subjugated by a bureaucracy that has grown enormously. In some countries which have fallen under open dictatorships, liberty is indeed regarded not only as an illusion, but as something to be combated.

The struggle of the nineteenth century was for liberty; it would be strange if the struggle of the twentieth century was against liberty. Joseph Barthélemy, a distinguished jurist who has had a notable Parliamentary career, in his *Crise de la Démocratie Contemporaine*, is as much convinced as the man of 1848 of the benefits of the democratic regime, though he recognizes certain excesses, certain insufficiencies, and he does not disguise the malaise which democracy is suffering.

Daniel Halévy thinks that although the war, which was fought in the name of liberty, has precipitated the decline of liberty, that decline really began in France with the advent of the Third Republic. Parliament, he asserts, does not interpret, but betrays the will of the people—though that will is confusedly expressed. All kinds of local considerations prevail in elections.

The ephemeral "ministres" possess only a shadowy power. It is the administration, an occult and anonymous force, inadequately controlled, which is responsible for all. Diplomacy is conducted by occult and anonymous officials. Education is organised by a few unknown university professors. The army is directed by a headquarters staff. Labour laws are the work of a labour office. The importance of the police, whose chiefs are virtually independent, has developed, and its intervention in the political events of the past sixty years has been deep.

Even the press is manipulated by a few persons, and its enormous influence on public opinion is largely irresponsible. The film and the radio are used to control mass thought. Far-reaching decisions in all domains are taken by so-called "experts," whose names and qualifications are hardly known to the public.

There is, in this indictment, considerable force, but while democratic institutions exist the voice of the people can and does make itself heard, often unexpectedly and sometimes irresistibly. Despite all kinds of pressure, despite all kinds of misinterpretation, the facts of a given situation are known to the bulk of the people, and they simplify themselves and adjust themselves in right relations in public opinion, which, at critical moments, pronounces unmistakably.

If it be urged that the facts should be still more widely known, and should be much better understood, that is the problem of education. In the education of democracy lies the cause of liberty and the cause of democracy itself, for, as Joseph Barthélemy remarks: "Democratic liberty is the regime of peoples who have come of age."

It is, however, not my business to begin a discussion of this or that thesis. My purpose is different. It so happens that these and other French writings have caught my attention at the same moment, but their grouping is not accidental. They are profoundly typical. The point I wish to make is that these and other literary manifestations denote a politico-philosophical fermentation in France that is of exceptional importance.

France is again engaged, and I think this time more seriously than usual, in a process of self-examination; and its institutions and its conduct and its way of thinking are being challenged. What, if anything, will come of it I do not profess to know; but I feel that these indications of a new stirring should not be passed unheeded.

And yet, in other intellectual quarters, there is a note of satisfaction that France is as it is. To be quite topical, this satisfaction is chiefly expressed when the position of France is compared with that of Germany. Thus Giscard (Continued on Page 7.)



"You'd rather be Prime Minister, eh? Wait'll you see him lift those dumb-bells and see what you think."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

CIVIL SERVANTS' PAY: THE WORLD CURRENCY CRISIS.

[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir, "Reason Why" appears to have had one glorious day among the "words" but, seriously, it would seem that he or she has not studied his or her programme. No member of the public is expected to ask the reason why; all that is expected is an enthusiasm towards the giving-up of anything or everything to enable our "rulers" the opportunity they crave of becoming worn-out, and where called upon, to die in our service.

Our Civil Servants are men of great spirit and endowed with noble qualities. They are ready men capable of "serving" at any time of world's emergency, nothing. Practice, dear hard practice, is required in this, and much self-denial.

Will not "Reason Why" read all our Official in the "Town Council" left home for our sake, and unless we keep on paying them more, they are likely to leave us? The mind reels on picturing the dismal outlook, a Colony without the press, shipping, trade etc., which lay the golden eggs (sorry, silver eggs) have continually broken the rules by asking whether the eggs are for consumption only, or if they can be allowed to breed occasionally. Their only job is to keep on laying.

"Reason Why," I really am surprised at you! If the Government say equality of sacrifice means they cannot afford to give up anything, it must mean this, it is fully met. Yours, etc.

Sir, "Reason Why" appears to be touching in the extreme, until one begins to think things out. When it is examined critically, the only point that emerges into clarity is the fact that "Reason Why" is very annoyed. It is not even clear that he knows himself exactly what annoys him.

To begin with, let me attempt to put him by conceding a few points. I do not know his salary, his firm publishing is Blue Book for ready reference on this, but I am willing to admit that there are many Government servants better paid than he. I infer that he is a mercantile assistant, and that, angry as he is, he will not ask to have his salary compared except with these Government servants of the same qualifications. I suggest the Clerical and Accounting Staff, and I venture the suggestion that he will not find such an exorbitant difference between emoluments of mercantile assistants and of Government Clerks. Of course, "R.W." may be one of the unlucky ones, in which case he is no more typical of the mass than are the one or two more who, to my knowledge, have made as a mercantile assistant, what appear to be poor Government servants. Large fortunes.

"R.W." seems to forget that Government servants are not a species apart, and that most of us have brothers and cousins in commercial life, with whose salaries we may compare our own, and that these brothers and cousins went into commercial life either because they were not sufficiently qualified for a Government post or because they preferred the prospects. There is no such thing as nomination for the service in this Colony at any rate. Does "R.W." wish to save himself from the consequences of his own choice by cutting our salaries? If so, will he allow the argument to cut both ways?

One does not need to be a Rip van Winkle to remember the days of bonuses, and the present writer is very willing to retire from this fray if only he could have, as against his present diminished salary. For payment in arrears of bonus for the good years of his service at the same rate as they were then paid to his brothers and cousins in commercial life. Where there is a vision willfully unused, the Government servant suffers. Yours, etc.

BECAUSE

Sir, I think we all agree that "every avenue to a solution of the world problem should be explored," but why retreat our steps along one that has already proved a cul-de-sac?

Had it not been for the international war debt position, gold would probably still have been giving satisfaction as a value standard and with bimetalism the end would undoubtedly have been the same. Where the debtor countries are to obtain the purchasing power for acquiring the necessary silver reserves is yet to be explained, but assuming they already have the supplies, what is to prevent the white metal from following gold to the creditor countries? Fixing its price and increasing production would prove a most unsatisfactory arrangement for the U.S.A. We could hardly expect her to accept tons of metal with a fictitious enhanced value by way of repayment with the possibility of even-

tually having to throw them back on the market for what they were worth commercially after years of over-production.

May I give a rough outline of the avenue that I am convinced the world will ultimately follow? Contrary to the usual idea, the best means of having one's ideas either confirmed or obliterated. Perhaps some of your old currency correspondents will oblige by bearing this one to pieces.

The Commodity Currency Standard.

The function of a currency is the facilitation of exchange of commodities, and the essential merit of any exchange medium is that its value retains stability in relation to the world's commodities as a whole. The nearest we can approach the ideal is a paper unit representing the total value of predetermined quantities of every commodity in which we trade.

The commodity purchasing power of any currency unit depends upon the quantity circulating or competing in the acquisition of commodities. This quantity is controlled by the rate of interest charged on issues of the currency and in the case of the new unit we should have to regulate the supply to maintain a purchasing power as near as possible to the value of what the unit represents. In other words, we should have to maintain a steady general price level.

In achieving this end, ascertaining probable future demands for commodities would be the first consideration, and as it is the business of importers and wholesale dealers to anticipate these future demands, we should not have far to look for the necessary information. To deal with all commodities in such a manner would, however, be unnecessarily complicated. We should confine ourselves to the fundamentals—iron, coal, wheat, wool, cotton, etc., and statistics thereon for comparative purposes would be supplied to the national bank whose duty it would be to adjust the currency price in accordance with any anticipated rise or fall in the commodity circulation, as indicated by predicted commodity demands.

A Fixed International Value Standard.

For trade between countries a unit similarly based upon commodities in the aggregate would be used and all financial transactions would be in terms of that unit. The above mentioned domestic currency unit would be bound to fluctuate slightly relative to its basis, but the international unit's value would be definitely fixed, thereby ensuring that all international debts would retain their intrinsic value no matter what happened to any individual country's currency. Conversion from a domestic currency into the international unit international exchange rates would be effected by comparing the purchasing power of the former with the international value standard, and it would be in the interest of all concerned to maintain as steady an exchange rate as possible.

The commodity standard from a domestic standpoint has had adherents the world over for many years, and I think any suggestion of a fixed international standard adds, somewhat, to its merits. There would be no possibility of a country boasting up the intrinsic value of its debtors' liabilities by deflation, as the U.S.A. did after the war, and trade would no longer be restricted by the fear of fluctuations in the value of the currency in which liabilities were incurred. Yours, etc.

X.

Sir,—Since leaving Southampton on a world tour and coming through Canada and the States, I have heard and seen much about depression, unemployment, etc., and how a good standard of living can be kept up, that after many arguments with expert economists and different people, I have been greatly strengthened in my old theory that high wages are the cause of the trouble.

1. High wages are no advantage if no lower wages rule elsewhere.
2. High wages mean taking advantage for the time of the people with lower wages.
3. High wages are ultimately beaten by lower wages, also as industry emigrates to countries with low wages.
4. High wages reduce the demand by reducing the possible number of purchasers who cannot afford high-priced articles.
5. High wages lead to unemployment by demanding more gold for a day's work than can be produced in the same time.
6. High wages represent inflation as well as issue of paper I. O. U's without cover.
7. The improved standard of living is a fallacy because if all wages were reduced by half, cost of living is likewise; therefore standard of living unchanged.

ROUND-WORLD CYCLE TOUR.



Nico Marin, Rumanian engineer and sportsman, with his wife, photographed in Hongkong yesterday. They are making a world tour by steamer and motor cycle, and will leave here for Bangkok on Sunday. Then they will tour India, South Africa, Germany, France, England, China and the United States. Their machine is a Harley Davidson.

8. The reduction of high wages would greatly increase gold's purchasing power, and help to attain a more favourable balance between exports and imports. Unemployment would finally disappear; standard of living would improve as the burden of relief for unemployed that falls on employed would be removed through the higher purchasing power of gold, giving far more employment.

The impression that machinery increases unemployment is entirely wrong. The fewer needed to produce necessities, the more can then produce comforts and commodities; also these, in turn, become, through habit, necessities. Production of commodities is without limit, and all can be exchanged for necessities as long as the cost of production for both is on an equal standard.

A higher and just standard of living sets in for all at right wages.

The right average wage per day should be taking gold as our best stable value; the average weight of gold produced in the world per man and per day.

Money is another name for gold. Practically every production of value to mankind represents money as it must be produced just like gold is. Paper money is only so many I. O. U's for a certain weight of gold, and might or not be honoured on presentation.

Above is all level-line theory, as supply and demand will always be moving above or below the same. When wages take advantage of a temporary greater demand, the requirement must, and will come. The opposite happens with too low wages, as in such countries where parasites keep wages too low, reactions set in.

The tariff, relief, etc., argument are all palliatives and do not cure depression; they hide the facts for a time.

The difficulties of reducing wages are manifold as nobody likes their wages reduced in the fear it will hit their standard of living. That will happen but only partly and temporarily as Labour would at the beginning miss the respective lower prices till their cheaper produce comes on the market. The same sort of thing happens with wages must first be reduced to bring down cost of living and avoid unemployment increasing.

The greatest unemployment is found in countries with high wages and it is quite negligible in those with moderate wages.

It is really necessary that at least for the beginning we patriotically endure some hardships by accepting the readjustment of wages and so carry the country gradually out of the trouble it has got into.

How far the idea of high wages can carry a people we find with our daily employment; they, because the products are cheaper, consume a lot of fruit and vegetables grown in France, cereals grown abroad, eggs and cheese grown in Holland, and commodities made in Germany, while they remain idle, although at lower wages they could, themselves, produce a great part of such consumption at home.

"Doctor Depression" will cure all with time but let us readjust wages by reason and not wait for hardships—famine with social convulsions to do so.—Yours, etc.,

A HUNTER.

The Soccer Dispute.

Sir,—The allegation regarding the Services' reason for refusing to play with the Malayan-Chinese as set out in the second paragraph of "Interested Supporter's" letter, appearing in yesterday's issue of your paper, and the following statements appearing in the issue of your paper for 1st inst., seem rather contradictory:

(a) The statement by "Wanderer" that "all the correspondence was made

WAGES DISPUTE SEQUEL.

MAN WITH IRON BAR ARRESTED.

A charge of possession of an iron bar fit for an unlawful purpose was brought against a Shanghai Chinese who appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning.

The defendant pleaded guilty and remarked that several persons had attacked him and another man.

Detective Sub-Inspector Rozesky told his Court that a message was received that a fight was in progress at the new Jockey Club Stables. Sergeant Alexander, in charge of a picket, went to the scene, but the fight had concluded. He made a search of the place and found the defendant with an iron bar concealed in his trousers leg.

It appeared that workmen on the site had demanded from the defendant's friend an extra day's wages for to-day's festival (Connatus Birthday) but the man had refused, and they had set upon him. The defendant immediately ran into the shed and secured the iron bar to assist his friend.

In reply to his Worship, the officer said that nobody had been hurt.

The defendant was bound over in a personal bond of \$50 to be of good behaviour for six months and informed that he should seek the aid of the law in future disputes.

LADY MAY CAMBRIDGE

THE KING GIVES CONSENT TO MARRIAGE.

London, Oct. 7. His Majesty the King held a Privy Council to-day at Buckingham Palace at which he registered his formal consent in Council to the marriage of Lady May Cambridge to Captain Henry Abel-Smith, which will be solemnized on October 24.—*Reuter.*

The engagement was announced early last August. Lady May Cambridge is the King's niece by marriage, her father, the Marquess of Cambridge (formerly Duke of Teck) being a brother of Queen Mary.

available, and it was made quite clear that the H.K.F.A. has nothing whatever to hide.

(b) The statement by Mr. Ormiston that "There is no meeting of the Council until October 13, and I think the public ought to be made aware of the facts of the situation in justice to the H.K.F.A."

If we are to take the allegation of "Interested Supporter" as correct, then it would appear that the H.K.F.A. has had something to hide, that the full facts of the situation have not been made public, and that the attitude adopted by the H.K.F.A. has not been so frank after all.

In any event, a reply is due from the H.K.F.A. either refuting "Interested Supporter's" allegation or admitting the same to be true, and the earlier this reply is given, the better it will be for all concerned. The H.K.F.A. has appended for frankness, and if it expects frankness on the part of others, must itself take the lead by "practising what it preaches."

—Yours etc.,

RADIO BROADCAST

SELECTION OF RECORDED MUSIC TO-NIGHT.

The radio programme to be broadcast by Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres to-day is:

6.00-8.00 p.m. European programme of Victor records kindly supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Co.

5.00-5.30 p.m. Orchestral. Moment Musical (Schubert). Philadelphia Symphony Orch. 1312. Eloquent Overture (Beethoven). Victor Symphony Orchestra. 35720. In a Clock Store (Orth). A Hunt in the Black Black Forest (Voelker).

Victor Concert Orch. 35722. Raymond Overture (Thomas). Victor Symphony Orch. 35924. 5.30-6.00 p.m. European children's programme from the Studio.

6.00-6.35 p.m. Variety. Humorous Duet-Down by the Winesap Winks. Aileen Stanley and Billy Murray. Humorous Song-Bell Top Girls. Billy Murray. 13838. Hawaiian Song-Hano Hano Hawaii. Hawaiian Song-Hawaiian Moon. Kane's Hawaiians. 20704. Instrumental-Johnson's Old Grey Mule. Grey Mule.

Ins. runcental-Pass Around the Bottle. Georgia Yellow Hammers. 20550. Duet for Two Pianos-Dance of the Paper Dolls. Duet for Two Pianos-Ragamuffin. Victor Andon-Phil Ohman. 21929. Humorous Song-That's Where You Come In. Humorous Song-It's Unanimous Now. Chick Endor. 22151.

6.35-6.51 p.m. Organ Solos. Prelude in E Flat (Saint-Saens). The Swan (Saint-Saens). Helix. Marcel Dupre. 1430. In a Monastery Garden (Kotelbey). In a Persian Market (Kotelbey). Reginald Foort. 35821. 7.00 p.m. (Stock quotations, mail notice, etc).

6.51-7.15 p.m. Operatic. Song-That's Love Has Long Been a Rare Virtue (Massenet). Marin Jerliza (Soprano). 1214. Chorus-Samson of Delila-Dawn Now Herds the Day (Saint-Saens). Metropolitan Opera Chorus. 4152. Orchestral-Die Fledermaus-The But-You and You (Strauss). Chicago Symphony Orchestra. 1481. Song-Damnation of Faust-While You Play at Sleeping (Berlioz). Marcel Journet (Bass). 1123.

7.15-7.32 p.m. Instrumental. Piano Solo-Spinning Song (Mendelssohn). Sergei Rachmaninoff. 1326. Violin Solo-Caprice Antique (Balogh-Kreiser). Fritz Kreisler. 1093. Piano Solo-Etude Tableaux (Rachmaninoff). Sergei Rachmaninoff. 1184. Violin Solo-Estrellita (Ponce-Helfetz). Violin Solo-Valse Bluette (Drigo-Auer). Jascha Heifetz. 1432.

7.32-8.00 p.m. Musical Comedy. Gems from "Cocoanuts." Gems from "Sunny." Gems from "No, No, Nanette." Gems from "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying." Victor Light Opera Company. 35769-35766.

8.00 p.m. Local time; weather report. 8.01-10.30 p.m. Chinese programme. 10.30 p.m. Rugby mid-day press news. 10.33 p.m. Close down.

FRENCH POLITICO-PHILOSOPHY.

(Continued from Page 6.)

d'Estaing makes an interesting contrast of French and German financial methods. If France has been recently attacked, he says, it is not because it is responsible for Germany's financial distress, but because it is prosperous. France has an immense colonial domain, a great stock of gold, and a habit of thrift. But the riches of France do not depend upon gold mines or oil wells; France has the monopoly of no essential product.

The constructive efforts of Germany have been admirable, but—and here is the rub—they have been beyond the means of Germany. France has been asked to watch with wonderment, since the beginning of the century, the development of Germany's railways and canals, the equipment of its ports, its municipal schools, its popular swimming baths, its sports grounds. These things are to be commended, and in some respects France lags far behind. But then France flirts counts the cost. It asks whether it can afford each improvement. It does not work in the void, without relation to the necessities of its daily financial life.

France is concerned not so much with immediate needs; it labours, as all its citizens labour, to guarantee its future. Germany is also laborious, but it works for the present, and like its citizens, is heedless of the future.

These generalizations, like all generalizations, should not be taken too literally, especially as they apply to Germany. Yet it is true that France does endeavour to save, to accumulate riches, to increase its margin of security. There can, I think, be no doubt that in France laboriousness goes

hand in hand with caution and thrift, and that the character of the individual Frenchman is, despite the anonymous and occult administration of which Daniel Halévy complains, the character of the French State.

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SHANGHAI BEATEN.

LOSE A PRACTICE BOWLS
GAME TO K.L.G.C.

Playing against the Kowloon Bow-
ling Green Club, on the Club's green
yesterday afternoon, Shanghai were
defeated by 15 shots in a practice
match before the Interport, the final
score being Kowloon 24, Shanghai 9.
Shanghai did not seem to be very
much at home on the green. The full
score was as follows:

Kowloon B.C.C.		Shanghai.	
J. S. Nichol	C. W. Glover		
R. Hall	H. P. Peck		
E. W. L. Hodgkin	T. Main		
A. M. Holland	C. Richards		
Heads	Shots	Total	Shots Total
1	1	1	2
2	1	2	2
3	1	2	1
4	1	2	3
5	1	2	2
6	1	2	3
7	1	2	6
8	1	2	6
9	1	2	6
10	1	2	6
11	1	2	6
12	1	2	7
13	1	2	7
14	1	2	7
15	1	2	7
16	1	2	7
17	1	2	7
18	1	2	7
19	1	2	7
20	1	2	7
21	1	2	7
22	1	2	7
23	1	2	7
24	1	2	7

LOCAL CRICKET.

TEAMS FOR INTERPORT
TRIAL.

The following have been selected to
play in the first Interport Trial Match
on Saturday; play will begin at
11.30 a.m. and will be held in the
Payson.

Kowloon: H. R. B. Hammett (Capt.), S. J. Jam-
son, H. Green, H. H. A. Mui, A. C. Beck,
D. J. N. Anderson, E. R. Duckett, R. H.
Cuthbert, F. Ziegner, G. C. Barnett,
H. P. Lam and A. C. L. Bowler.

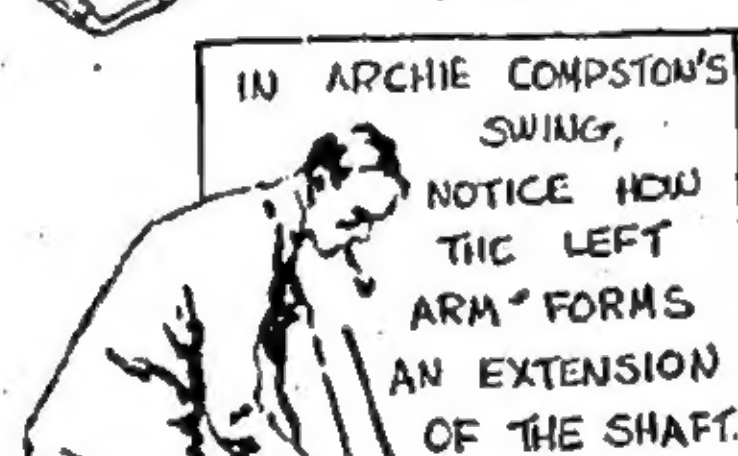
Shanghai: T. E. Pearce (Capt.), Capt. G. E.
Morgan, A. R. Reid, P. D. Perring,
D. G. Southon, A. H. Madar, E. J. R.
Nicholls, F. Goodwin, F. E. Fincher,
J. T. Laid, W. R. J. J. Richard and
Indian R.C. v. R.E. and Signals.

The following will represent the
Kowloon R.C. in a League match
against the Royal Engineers and the
Royal Corps of Signals on Saturday,
at 2.30 p.m. sharp:—M. R.
Albee (Capt.), A. R. Abbas, R. M. A.
Arnold, H. E. M. Barnes, A. R. H.
Emond, S. Jammit, M. P. Madar, K.
Nazam, A. M. Barmah, A. R. Sallal
and A. S. Sallal.

LOCAL FOOTBALL.

The following have been select-
ed to represent the 1st XI Kow-
loon Football Club again Club De
Recreation on Saturday on the Kow-
loon Football Club ground, kick-
off at 4.15:—Nicholls, Martin,
Downman, Martin, Hedley, Mc-
Kelvie, Bliss, Simpson, Denny,
Timberlake, Grimwood and Ian-
son, Reserve:—Whitfield.

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as
the STARS
Play it



IN ARCHIE COMPTON'S
SWING,
NOTICE HOW
THE LEFT
ARM FORMS
AN EXTENSION
OF THE SHAFT.

How can one acquire a smooth
rhythmical swing?

The word swing implies an
action that is smooth and even and
calls to mind the movement to and
fro of a pendulum.

This smooth, rhythmical move-
ment is what the beginner must
strive for and to do so he must
look upon his arms as an exten-
sion of the club. To accomplish
the action, the player should plant
both feet firmly on the ground and
feel that the weight is resting on
the heels. Lending forward on
the toes throws the whole machine
out of gear and mistakes made on
the swing cannot then be rectified.

—ART KRENN.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY BY
STOCK EXCHANGE.

There is no change to report this
morning, the market opening quietly
steadily with the level of prices being
fairly well maintained.

Banks were the medium of sales at
\$1,695.
Bank of East Asia were sold at
\$124.

Canton Insurance were in the
market at \$1,500, as were also H.K.
Fire, at \$1,450.

Raubs were in demand at \$35.
Wharves, which were done at
\$152½, closed in demand at \$150½.
Providents (old), which were done
at \$5.55, were in demand at the close
at \$5½. The new shares were wanted
at \$2½.

H.K. Lands were in request at \$82.
Shanghai Lands changed hands to
the North at \$18½.
Humphreys (old) were in demand at
\$19½, as were also the new shares,
at \$18½.

Shanghai Cottons were sold to
Shanghai at \$18, 90.
Zong Sing were wanted at \$18½.
Trams were in demand at \$20½.
Star Ferries advanced to a buying
rate of \$92.

China Lights could have been
obtained at \$28.
Electric, after sales at \$77½, closed
in demand at \$77½.
Telephones (part paid) were want-
ed at \$29½.
Cements (combined) were in de-
mand at \$18½.

Dairy Farms were wanted at \$29.
Lane, Crawford, sold were in
demand at \$6.40.
Constructions (old) changed hands
at \$5, and the new shares were in the
market at \$1.40.

Government Loan was put through
at \$1½ premium.

HARBOUR OFFENCE.

MAKING FAST TO MOVING
STEAMER.

The master of a steamer, who
was charged with making fast to the
Hong Kong, was fined \$100 for
making fast to the steamer, which
was under way at the time.

The accused denied the charge,
saying that he was returning from
the steamer, to which he had taken
some passengers.

Sergeant J. Mitchell said that
about 9.15 a.m. yesterday he saw
the Douglas steamer "Halyang"
coming to her buoy. He looked
through his glasses at the sampan
round the ship, and saw de-
fendant's sampan, had a paper
hooked on to the vessel. He saw
four men go up this rope. The
sampan then cast off. He watch-
ed it through his glasses until
it was near enough for him to
hail and get alongside. He re-
cognised the defendant's sampan
by a new basket on the bow and
a piece of cloth on the cabin in
the stern.

Defendant said he took pas-
sengers from the Tung On wharf
to the s.s. Kulsang, and on his
way back was hailed alongside
the police launch, and accused of
making fast to the s.s. Halyang.
He denied the charge at the time,
saying that he was returning to
the Tung On wharf.

Remarking that he did not be-
lieve his story, the Magistrate
convicted defendant and impos-
ed a fine of \$10 or in default a
week's imprisonment.

EXCHANGE RATES.

	Previous Day.	Yesterday.
Paris	98½	98½
Geneva	19½	19½
Berlin	17	17
Oslo	17½	17½
Helsingfors	162½	160
Athens	295	305
Buenos Aires	31½	31½
Shanghai	17½	17½
New York	487½	488
Amsterdam	95	95
Stockholm	16½	16½
Vienna	31	31
Madrid	42½	42½
Bucharest	625	625
Montevideo	21½	21½
Hongkong	17½	17½
Brussels	27½	27½
Milan	20½	20½
Copenhagen	17½	17½
Prague	198	198
Lisbon	109½	109½
Rio	37½	37½
Bombay	175½	175½
Yokohama	270½	270½
Silver (spot)	16½	16½
(forward)	17	17

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local
share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1,695 n.
Chartered Bank, \$11½ n.
Mercantile A. and B., \$18½ n.
East Asia \$134 n.

Insurances.

Capton Ins., \$1,500 s.
Union Ins., \$460 n.
China Underwrites \$5½ n.
China Fire, \$800 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1,450 s.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$24 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$26 n.
Indo-China, (Def.) \$30 n.
Union Waterboats, \$28 n.

Mining.

Banquet, \$12 s.
Kallans, 30/- n.
Shai Explorations, \$12 n.
Raubs, \$34½ b.

Docks, etc.

Kowloon Wharves, \$152½ n.
Whampoa Docks, \$30 n.
South China Motors \$10 n.
China Providents, \$5.55 n.
Hongkong, \$18 n.
New Engineers, \$18 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$18 n.

Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, \$17 n.
Shai Cottons, \$18 n.
Zong Sing, \$18½ n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H.K. & S. Hotels, \$15 n.
H.K. & S. Hotels (new), \$11½ n.
H.K. Land, \$82 b.
Shai Land, \$18 n.

Humphreys, \$18½ b.
Roads, \$18½ n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$20½ b.
Peak Traps, \$11.50 n.
Star Ferries, \$92 b.
China Light, \$28 b.
H.K. Electric, \$77½ n.
Macao Electric, \$23 n.
Telephones, \$29½ n.
China Electric, \$17.90 n.
Singapore, \$18 n.

Industrials.

China Sugar, 50 cts. n.
Mathsons, \$29 n.
Canton Ins., \$7.90 n.
Cement, \$18½ b.
Ropes, \$17½ n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$29 b.
Watson, \$15½ n.
Lee A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$6.40 b.
Mackintosh, \$19 n.
Sinceres, \$18½ n.
Towells, \$3.60 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$21½ n.
Entertainments, \$15 n.
Constructions, \$5 s. old.
B' que In. G. Bonds, 67½ n.

SUGAR MARKET.

THE LATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS.

The following cable at the close
of the sugar market yesterday
has been received by Messrs. Pen-
treath and Co.

London Terminals.

March 1932 6/11½ up 1½d.
May 1932 7/1 up 1½d.
August 1932 7/2½ up 1½d.
December 1931 6/9½ up 1½d.

New York Terminals.

March 1932 1.35 down 3 pts.
May 1932 1.37 down 3 pts.
July 1932 1.41 down 4 pts.
September 1932 1.45 down 3 pts.
December 1931 1.37 down 3 pts.
London (7/10/31). — Market
firm; we look for higher prices.
New York (7/10/31). — Trade in-
terests buying December largely.

LOCAL FOOTBALL.

ONLY ONE MATCH FOR
SATURDAY.

Only one match will be played in
the Hongkong Football League on
Saturday next, when, in the Senior
Division, Kowloon will meet the Re-
creation, at Kowloon, at 4.30.
It is understood that the Police and
military and naval teams are unable
to fulfil their fixtures owing to being
on duty.

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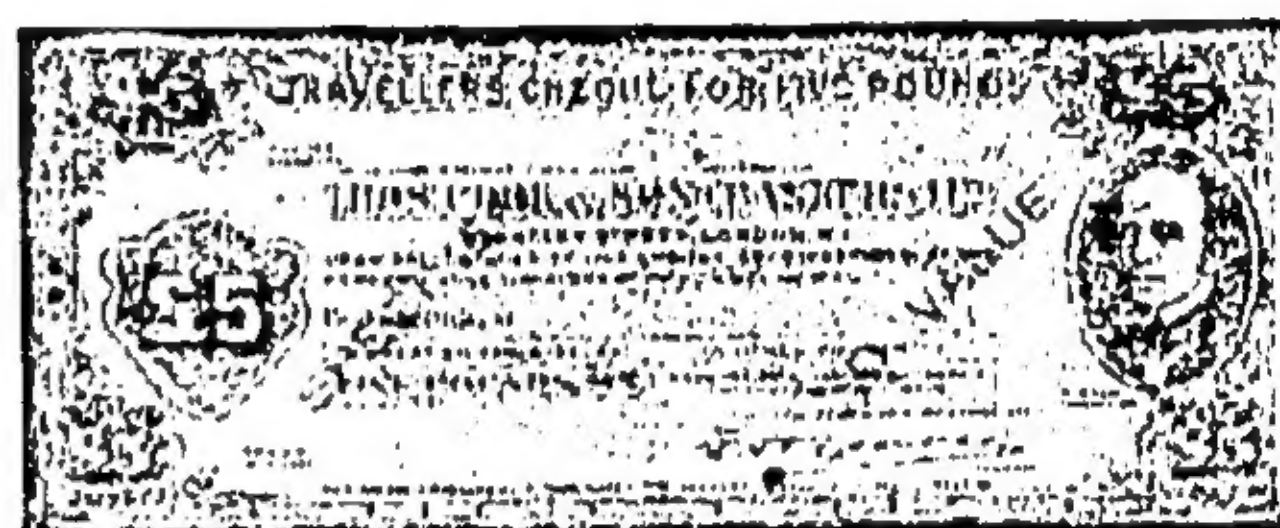
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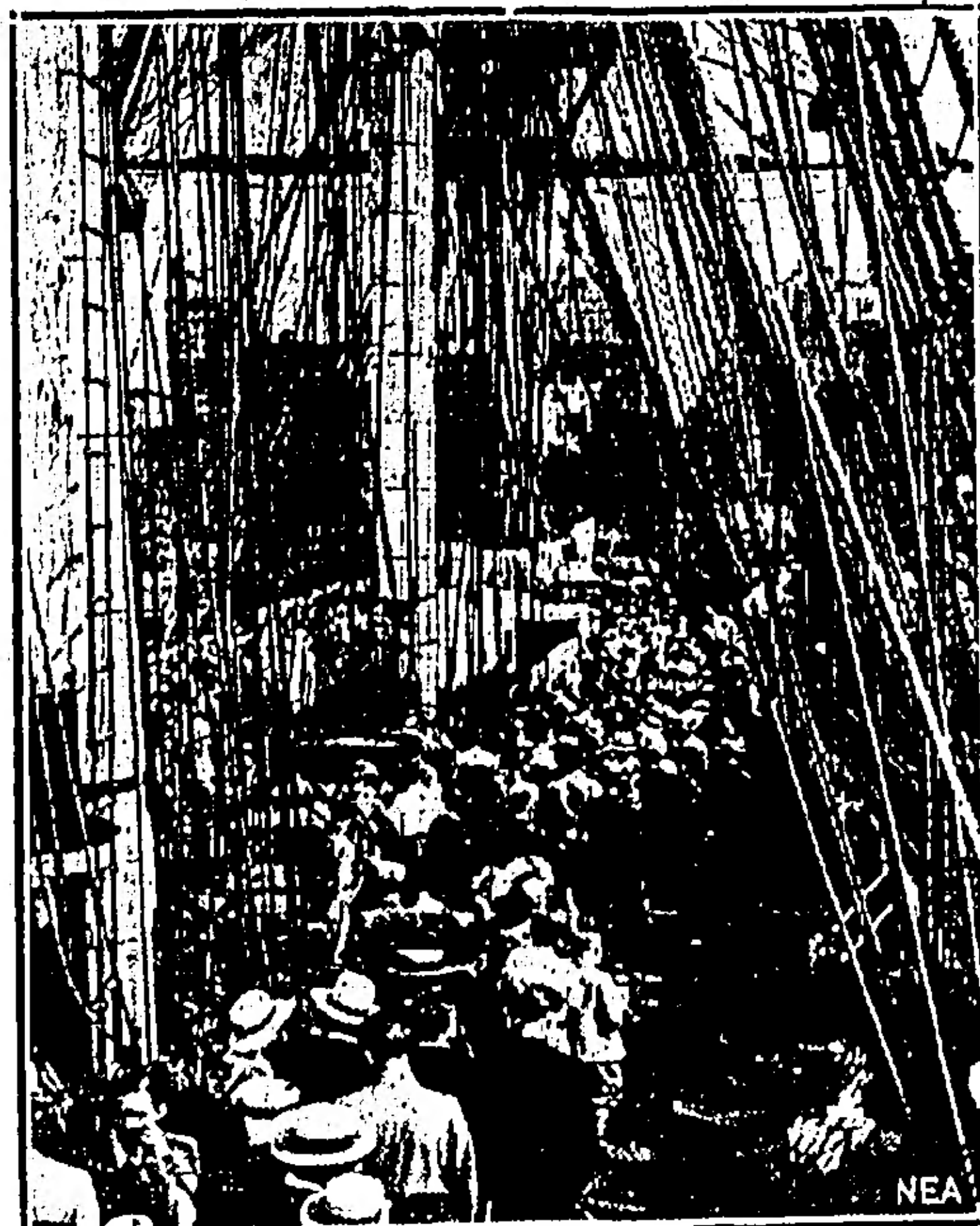
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HEART OF LIANE.

(Continued from Page 3.)

"You're in! Let Clive go. Let him be happy. Anyone with half an eye can see how miserable he is!"

"How dare you?" Liane exclaimed very low. "How dare you talk to me like this here?"

Tressa's laugh rang out triumphant and shrill.

"Why not here?" she said. "Why not? I belong here more than you do and you know it. What's more, I shall be here after you've been forgotten."

Liane was trembling and her hands were like ice. She was suddenly weak, swaying on her feet.

All at once Tressa's manner changed. With lightning quickness she was at the other girl's side.

As Clive came in she was saying soothingly and gently, "Here, lean on me. You're not quite well yet, I'm afraid. Perhaps you ought to go upstairs."

Clive, all solitude, helped Liane to her room. She was so shaken she did not trust herself to speak and she knew that he suspected nothing of what had transpired.

Long after Clive thought her asleep the girl lay, hands tightly clenched, hearing below the murmur of Tressa's voice, soft and caressing.

She heard the answering rumble of her husband's tones.

What, Liane wondered in agony, were they saying?

(To Be Continued)

H.K. VARSITY TENNIS.

ENGINEERING STUDENTS' BEAT ARTS SECTION.

An Inter-Faculty tennis match was played on the University courts yesterday, in which the Engineering section beat the Arts students by 5½ sets to 3½. Scores:

L. Oppenheim and K. M. Lo (Eng.) beat Prof. Foster and W. K. Chou 6-1, 6-1, 6-1.

H. M. Lee and H. Z. Ho (Eng.) lost to Prof. Foster and Chou 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

Prof. Redmond and P. L. Tan (Eng.) beat Prof. Foster and Chou 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

H. M. Lee and H. Z. Ho (Eng.) lost to Prof. Foster and Chou 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

The Half-Mile Swimming Championship has been postponed.

LADIES' GOLF.

CLOSE OF ACTIVITIES AT DEEP WATER BAY.

A very successful meeting was held by the Ladies' Section of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club on Tuesday, September 28th, which marked the close of their activities at Deep Water Bay.

A tournament competition was held and won by Miss Sutton, who, in spite of very adverse conditions, went to the 18th green. The hidden number (prize kindly presented by Mrs. Sommerfelt) was won by Mrs. Evans on the 16th green. Mrs. Mackintosh won the bridge prize.

Mrs. Sherry qualified for the Captain's Cup with 79-8-71.

Mrs. Roffey won the Medal Pool held at Happy Valley during August and September, 96-25-71.

The qualifying rounds for the Captain's Cup for the next three months, October, November and December, will be held on the New Course, at Fanling.

The attention of Members is called to the fact that the Annual General Meeting will be held in the Helena May Institute, on Wednesday, October 28th at 11 a.m. when they are earnestly requested to give their support to the Committee.

AQUATIC EVENTS.

TWO CHAMPIONSHIPS DECIDED.

Two championships in connexion with the annual aquatic competitions held under the auspices of the Victoria Recreation Club were decided in the Club bath yesterday.

In the Long Plunge, which brought out five competitors, J. R. Soares emerged the winner, with a distance of 60 feet. The next best effort was put in by J. A. Victor, whose distance was 57 feet.

Monteiro and L. Pereira were the other competitors.

W. Lawrence threw the polo ball for 68 feet, this being the best recorded and was much in excess of C. Roza Pereira's best throw of 57½ feet.

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In a hockey match at King's Park yesterday afternoon the Radio Sports Club beat the Club de Recreio in a fast game by five goals to two.

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KUOMINTANG RAID.

LOCAL COMMITTEE MAN FINED.

The recent raid at the local headquarters of the Kuomintang had a sequel before Mr. Williams at the Central Police Court yesterday when one of the members was fined for being in possession of seditious literature at 16, Bonham Road. Another member was discharged by the Court.

Inspector John Murphy appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. F. C. E. Rendall was for the defendants.

Before calling evidence Inspector Murphy described the raid which was made on October 1 on the headquarters of the Kuomintang, which, he said, was unlawful but tolerated in Hongkong. Two pamphlets were found in a suitcase belonging to the first defendant while a third was found on a desk. Black arm bands were also found on the premises.

When giving evidence, the Chief Chinese Detective said that when he asked the first defendant who owned the suitcase in which the documents were found he told the accused to tell the truth. The defendant then admitted that the suitcase belonged to him.

"Speak the Truth."

Mr. Rendall: Do you consider it your duty to ask people to tell the truth?—Yes.

Are these instructions given you by the I.G.P.?—I must tell people to tell the truth.

Before you asked him to speak the truth he had not said anything to you about the suit case?—No.

And the very moment you said, "Speak the truth," holding out a promise or some threat, he at once said "Yes this is my suit case?"—Yes.

Inspector Murphy: At the time you told the prisoner to tell the truth had you made up your mind to arrest him?—No.

After Inspector Murphy had described the raid in evidence Mr. Rendall asked: Who were the premises rented by?—I don't know.

Didn't you make any enquiries?—No.

You told his Worship in your opening that the premises were used by the headquarters of the Kuomintang?—Yes, we know that before the raid.

In fact the premises were probably used for sometime?—Yes, several months.

Do you know actually how long?—I should say three or four months.

They were allowed to remain there by the Police?—Yes, they were allowed to remain there.

The Kuomintang.

The Police recognised that the Kuomintang is a recognised society in China, a recognised political body in China?—Recognised in China and tolerated in Hongkong.

With the full knowledge of the Police they have been occupying these premises and, presumably, conducting business?—Yes.

In fact do you know that members of the Kuomintang come from various districts in China?—Yes, it has branches all over China.

There's the central branch and each different district has its own committee?—Yes.

And the Committee members come to Hongkong?—Yes, I think

WORLD CRISIS.

PRESIDENT HOOVER'S NEW STEP.

Washington, Oct. 7.

A new credit organisation broadening the facilities of the Federal Farm Board and liberalisation of the re-discount provisions of the Federal Reserve Law were among the provisions proposed by President Hoover for the relief of the world economic crisis at the conclusion of the conference at midnight.

A well-informed quarter states that the credit organisation will be known as the Emergency Credit Corporation with a capital of \$500,000,000 and it will be authorised to loan at its discretion to any financial institution.

Inter-Government Debts.

Mr. Hoover in a statement to the conference declared that he proposed to discuss with M. Laval the question of such further arrangements as were imperative during the period of depression, in respect of inter-Government debts.—Reuter's American Service.

they keep in communication with each other.

Although these people have been here for several months and although there must have been communications passing, the Police have never thought it advisable to find out who was renting the premises and who was the head of it?—There was no necessity to find out.

No necessity, because?—They had never attracted our attention.

Of course they were conducting this quite properly. The only thing you are charging them with is possession of documents?—Yes.

You are not charging them with possession of their chop?—No, I don't think there's anything in the Emergency Regulations about chops.

Do you say these pieces of black rope are incriminating too?—No.

I suppose you didn't arrest the Bank of Canton the other day for flying their flag at half mast or anything like that?—No, we didn't.

One Man Fined.

On the submission of Mr. Rendall that there was no evidence, the second defendant was discharged. The first defendant went into the witness-box and said that he was a member of the committee of the Kuomintang of Lukwai Village. He was on his way to Nanking. The documents found in his suitcase contained general information from Lukwai.

He intended to do nothing with the papers which were sent to him through the post on September 29. The chop found in his possession was given him by the Committee to take to Nanking, and he had no authority to use it.

Inspector Murphy, in cross-examination, suggested to witness that the "personal letter" referred to was more in the nature of an appeal to the people. A more appropriate description of it could have been "manifesto."

Defendant disagreed.

Mr. Rendall: I don't think they intend him to re-transmit it to Nanking by wire.

His Worship remarked that, although found in his possession, the paper was kept in a suitcase and that was quite different from walking about in the streets with

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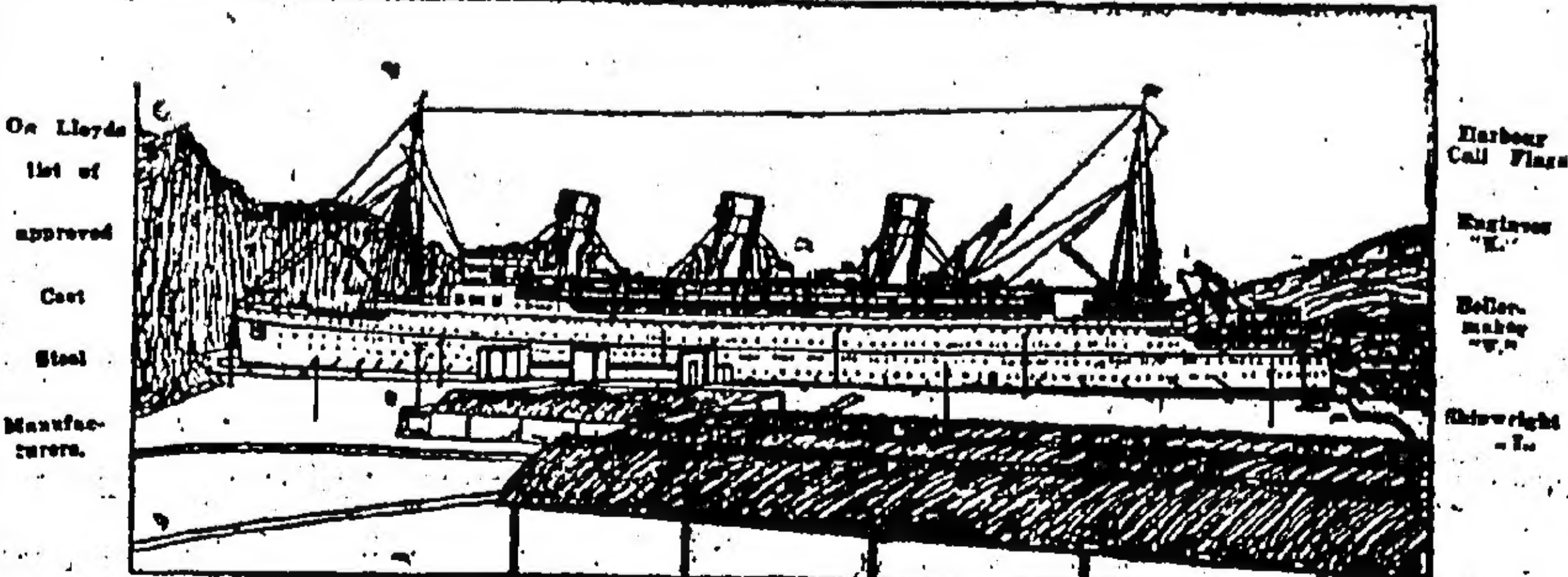


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NALDERA	16,000	7th Nov.	Bombay, M'los & L'don
*KASHGAR	9,000	21st Nov.	M'los, L'don, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Dec.	Marseilles & London
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KASHGAR	9,000	16th Oct.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
TALMA	10,000	23rd Oct.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
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TANDA	7,000	6th Nov.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yoko
RAJPUTANA	17,000	6th Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yoko
CORFU	15,000	20th Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yoko
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TAIPING	Nov. 9th	Nov. 20th	Nov. 28th	Dec. 6th
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PRIME MINISTER'S MANIFESTO.

(Continued from Page 1.)

and Sir Herbert Samuel—are expected to be issued to-morrow or the next day.
The first detailed statement regarding Mr. Lloyd George's attitude will probably be contained in his election address to the constituents of Carnarvon.

ELECTION CAMPAIGN OPENED.

Late Government Shirked Its Duty.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald opened the election campaign by broadcasting an optimistic address to the nation stressing what the National Government has been striving to do since "the late Government shirked the unpleasant duty of carrying out what it admitted to be its duty."

The Prime Minister pointed out that while there had been no catastrophe, the dangers in the situation had not yet passed and if it was felt in the world that there was any prospect of an immediate reversal of national policy in Great Britain, confidence would decline.

The rest of the address was devoted to explaining to the nation the value and meaning of a balanced budget and a favourable balance of trade, and urging the necessity of keeping expenditure within the national income.

International Conference.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald also said that the new Government would need to enter into an international conference regarding the economic and financial situation of the world, and must use its influence to remove the impediments to commerce and finance, which has largely contributed to the breakdown in world stability. He mentioned as notable among these impediments, war debts and reparations, the uneconomic distribution of gold and the freezing-up of credits.

Goodbye To Mr. Snowden.

The Premier will open his election campaign in the Seaburn Division on Monday.

SAILING FOR HOME.

LINDBERGH'S DEPARTING TO-DAY.

Shanghai, Oct. 7. The Consul-General for the United States, Mr. Cunningham, announces that Colonel and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh are leaving for Japan at 9 a.m. on Thursday aboard the Shanghai Maru.

They will embark on the President Jefferson at Yokohama at 10 a.m. on Saturday for Seattle. —Reuter.

Many members of Parliament are already at work in their constituencies and there was a poor attendance when House was prorogued to-day.

As it was the last occasion on which the Chancellor of Exchequer, Mr. Snowden, will appear on the floor of the House—owing to ill-health he is ending his Commons career—the Speaker and many members of all parties made a special point of bidding him farewell.

Sunday Cinemas.

Parliament was prorogued after the enactment of the Bill providing for the prevention of the exploitation of consumers of foodstuffs and temporarily regulating the opening of cinemas on Sundays.

Sir John's Inspiring Call.

The Executive Committee of the National Liberal Federation to-night passed with one dissent, a vote of confidence in Sir Herbert Samuel and Sir Donald Maclean, the Liberal members of the Government.

Sir John Simon, chairman of the newly-formed Liberal National Organisation, in a message to his constituents says:—

"Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has shown the courage which the crisis demands and Mr. Baldwin's willingness to stand by his side without disputing pride of place is an example to everyone. I call upon all whom I can influence to take the same course and to make a common cause against a common danger." —Reuter and British Wireless.

CANADIAN DOWN ON LUCK.

SENT TO DETENTION HOUSE.

John Daniels, hailing from Southampton, but born in Montreal, Canada, appeared before Mr. Williams at the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of being in the Colony without any means of livelihood. The defendant admitted the charge.

Detective Sergeant C. Mottram stated that the defendant was formerly assistant store keeper on the Empress of Japan, but on September 12 he resigned on the receipt of a message of a family bereavement. He wanted to return immediately to Southampton, but what little money he had had been spent, and he was waiting for more to arrive from Home. In the meantime, the police asked that he be committed to the House of Detention pending the arrival of the money. The defendant had intimated that he would pay his passage to Southampton. A committal order was made by his Worship.

FLOOD RELIEF.

SPECIAL SHOWS AT THE KING'S THEATRE.

In aid of the Yangtze Flood Relief Fund, special showings are to be given at the King's Theatre on Wednesday, 14th instant, the Directors of the China Entertainment and Land Investment Co. having generously agreed to devote the entire proceeds to this most deserving cause.

Prices will be as usual, and in all there will be four excellent pictures screened. These, kindly lent free for the occasion by the Paramount Film of China, Inc., and Fox Film Corporation, will be as follows:

2.30 p.m.—"Charlie Chan Carries On."
5.10 p.m.—"Dishonoured."
7.15 p.m.—"Vagabond King."
9.30 p.m.—"Don't Bet on Women."
It is hoped that there will be large attendances at all these shows, in order that the relief fund may substantially benefit.

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1. S.W.M.B. Male Voice Choir:
(a) Comrades in Arms, Adam.
(b) The Jolly Roger, Condlah.
2. Mr. G. D'Aquino, "Lost Love", Masselota.
3. Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, "I did not know", Trotter.
4. Miss W. Henderson, Hungarian Dance, Brahms.
5. Mr. W. McLean, songs, selected.
6. Mrs. F. C. Rendall, "Brown Bird Singing", Wood.
7. S.W.B. Male Voice Choir:
(a) Milfanwy, Parry.

BLOW TO SWEEPS.
BRITISH BANKS NOT TO HANDLE NUMBERS.

London, Oct. 7. The Daily Express states that British banks have decided not to handle sweepstake numbers in future, following the request of the Home Office, which practically terminates the distribution of Calcutta sweep numbers in Britain. —Reuter.

(b) Song of the Volga Boatman, Dixon.
8. Miss W. Henderson, Liebestreu, Kreisler.
9. Mr. W. McLean, songs, selected.
10. Mrs. F. C. Rendall, "Down in the Forest", Ronald.
11. Mr. G. D'Aquino, "Roses in June", German.
12. Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, "Down Here", Brahe.
Accompanist, Mrs. O. Scott Little.